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America's neutrality and to

The request was made in

a letter to Mr. William Bank-head, Speaker of the House of

plement the funds previously

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ments of War, Navy, Justice

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NAVY PRECAUTIONS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3

(Router) .- Mr. Charles Edi-

son. Acting Secretary of the

U.S. Navy, has asked Congress

to empower President Roose-

velt, "should a national emer-

gency arise," to procure ships

and materials and to comman-

Mr. Edison describes the

proposals as a precautionary

and points out that President

Wilson was granted similar

powers in March, 1917, a

month before America entered

request does not anticipate

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ANKARA, Jan. 3 (Reuler),-Tur-

key's foreign policy was approved by

a meeting of the People's Party of the

Parliamentary Group on Tuesday

meeting in a two-hour speech.

The Foreign Minister addressed the

lowing observation:

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Mr. Edison adds that the

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SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

WASHINGTON, JAN. 3 (UP).—PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT THIS AFTERNOON DELIVERED WHAT WAS, IF HE DOES NOT BREAK PRECEDENT BY SEEKING RE-ELECTION FOR THE THIRD TIME, HIS PENULTIMATE ANNUAL MESSAGE TO CONGRESS. THE UNITED STATES, HE DECLARED, WILL

KEEP OUT OF WAR. 'An overwhelming majority of Americans have not abandoned the hope and expectation that the United States will not become involved in the European War in a military sense." he said.

"But there is a vast difference from keeping out of war and pretending that this war is none of our business.

"We don't have to go to war." But at least we Mr. Roosevelt explains that the appropriation would supcan arrive with other nations to encourage the kind of peace that will lighten the troubles of the world.

#### rent fiscal year ending June 30, | ACTION FOR PEACE

"The United States must be an active and powerful influence in seeking the re-establishment of peace.

The war in Europe arose from mismanagement of social and economic forces, causing a revolution against dictatorship.

"We must continue our preparations, and I urge substantial defence appropriations, based not on panic but on common-sense."

move in a letter to Congress | The President enumerated the increased taxes which he recommended for national defence.

Practically all the Government's expenses, with the exception of those for national defence would be reduced in 1941, he forecast, but added the warning that the problem of the unemployed still remained unsolved. that the United States will be

"Our programme of social improvement must be carried on to preserve the gains we have already made. and to provide jobs and a living wage for the unemployed.

#### DICTATORS v. DEMOCRACY

"I ask all Americans to look ahead and see the first possibilities for our children in a world, the rest of which is dominated by concentrated force alone.

"I ask 'Americans to envisage the second effect on our future if the small nations of the world are shorn of their independence by military systems.

"I ask Americans to see ahead the kind of lives our children LONDON, Jan. 3 (British) will lead if much of the rest of the world is compelled to worship a god imposed by military rule or is forbidden to worship at all, facetiously known as "Lord or is deceived of true news.

"I ask Americans to see the fourth effect on our future if world trade is controlled by military force by any nation or any lish public from the German group of nations. "Modern man can no longer live a civilised life if we are to

go back to the practice of wars and conquests of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. "When the time comes, the | "Already the clash of swiftly

himself responsible for the folwing observation:
United States must use its moving events over the earth has influence to open the trade view. tories is due to the evil influence of channels of the world, in order British Boy Scouts. This is the con-clusion of Yugo-Slav observers, which is being freely mentioned in Belgrade. compelled in later days to seek "They point out that companies by force of arms what can well of these alleged Boy Scouts were ac- be gained by peaceful confer-

customed to camp in the areas where ence. sabotage has occurred, and they took "I emphasise the leadership which party or a 'peace bloc'. That label advantage of the opportunity to this nation can take when the time belongs to the whole United States spread anti-German feeling among comes for a renewal of world peace, and to every right-thinking man, "Such influence will be greatly woman and child within it. weakened if this Government becomes the dog in the manger of trade selfishness.

No Alliances "I re-commit myself to the policy

"But I must add the warning that it becomes clearer and clearer that the future world will be a shabby and a daugerous place in which to live—even for Americans to live in -if it is ruled by "forco" in the hands of a fow.

"Fortunately, that thinking cannot planes. be controlled by partisonship.

"The time is long past when any political party or any particular group can carry or capture public favour by labelling itself a peace

"Out of the military turmoil into which the world has been plunged two facts have emerged. "Firstly, the United States' accomplishment towards the establish-

of no entangling alliances; for my ment of a 'good neighbour' policy in south and central America is without "Secondly, public opinion in al-

most every nation is convinced that the United States will continue to . be potent and active in seeking world peace."

### Chinese Flag Re-Hoisted At Shumchun



SHUCHUN, Hongkong horder city which has been in the hands of the Japanese, has been re-entered by Chinese troops. Photograph shows Chinese standing to attention as the -national-flag-js-hoisted.-

FINNISH WAR

### DEFENDERS MAINTAIN OFFENSIVE

#### Russians Hard Pressed In Arctic Regions

HELSINGFORS, Jan. 3 (Reuter) .- The weather in Southern Finland cleared to-day and, taking advantage of this, Soviet aircraft bombed the port Hango. The extent of the damage is not yet known.

.There is little fighting around Polar front, one Russian division

Reports of a Russian retreat to-wards Petsamo continuo to come in, and there seems little doubt that the Finns have the initiative in this area. Neutral observers state that the Finns are in a better strategic posttion to-day than they have been at any time since the Soviet invasion she was two miles out of port began. At one point, indeed, operations are being carried out on Russian Montevideo marine arsenal.

Since the beginning of the war, the Finnish news agency reports, the Soviets have lost 400 tanks and 150 Uruguay, while ships sounded their

#### Attack Repulsed

HELSINGFORS, Jan. 3 (Reuter). -To-day's communique states that the Soviets have launched a flerce infantry attack after artillery pre-

paration on the Taipale River. The Finns repulsed the attack with great loss to the Russians. At Aittajoki, the Finns destroyed a police cordons time and again. Russian company supported by

machine guns. On the Suomussalmi front, near went on board and were received by sinn tanks and two armoured ears. River Kokkolnervi.

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THIS IS WHAT HAS HAPPENED to Hongkong's only fall connection with the outside world. Across the border from Lowu, miles of railway track have disappeared, torn up by Chinese guerillas in order to prevent the line being used by the Japanese.

## the Mannerheim Line, but between Lake Ladoga and the Graf Spee Conqueror has been surrounded and is desperately trying to fight its way Receives warm welcome

MONTEVIDEO, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—An extremely warm welcome was given to H.M.S. Ajax when she arrived here to-day on a 48-hour courtesy visit. The Ajax fired a salvo when

and this was returned by the Two special tugs led her to the berth vacated by the cruiser,

sirens and a crowd of thousands of Uruguayans and members of the British colony cheered themselves

Observers state that the Alax shows no traces of her battle with the Graf Spee, whose battered hulk she passed on her way into Monlovideo. Large crowds broke, through the

The British Minister to Uruguny and members of the Legation staff

Rasti, the Finns destroyed five Rus- Rear Admiral Sir Henry Harwood and his officers. In the Juntusranta sector, the 7 To-day, 200 of the crew went out Finns reached the left bank of the to the Polo Club for a picnic as guest of the Pro-Ally Committee, and another 200 will be similarly enter-

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I.R.A. Murderers

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter) .--Mr. Eamon de Valera has made representations to the British Government with regard to the half-an-hour. The godown was gutsentences of death passed on December 14 on two Irishmen.

DE VALERA

PLEADS

Death Sentence On

They were found guilty of murdering u girl, one of five victims of an explosion at Coveniry on August

This is disclosed in a letter of rom Mr. de Valera, read at a meeting to- outbreak, day in Daleton, County Cork, Urban Council, which had previously Tell it To The Finns
tained to-morrow. Independ a resolution urging, Mr. de
Noscow, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—For Rear Admiral Marwood sine Natural Valera to request commutation of
outstanding services in inventing and officers are guests of the Edilla the sentences to penal servitude for

## Further Turkish Ouakes Cause Panic

ANKARA, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—Fresh tremors were felt in Southern Anatolia to-day.

Several hundreds of buildings collapsed and many more panic-stricken people have been rendered home-

Fortunately the death roll is believed to have been small.

This is because the quakes came in the daytime and the people had time to rush out of their houses before the buildings fell in and collapsed. Floods persist and the River Euphrates is causing great damage, while villages are swept away. Its waters are still rising.

President Incunu is completing preparatiens for a tour of the entire devastated area.

#### Europe's Cold Wave

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—Bad weather is striking other parts of Europe besides Turkey, In Southern Spain, violent rains are falling and at least one river has risen 30 feet.

In Central Europe, great hardship is being caused by the extreme cold.
In Rumania, a temperature of 56 degrees below freezing, point is re-

#### British Offer

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—The Government has offered to put a nospital ship at the disposal of the

Turkish Gvoernment. The latter has replied, expressing gratitude and stating that it will accept the offer should the need arise,

#### LATEST

### Manslaughter Charge

#### Sequel To Fatality In Bonham Road

LIEUTENANT THOMAS PARKINSON, 51, Quartermaster of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, was charged with Manslaughter at the Central Magistracy this morning. The Crown indictment alleges that

Parkinson, whilst driving his car along Bonham Road on December 23, knocked down and killed one Wong The accident is alleged to have happened near the intersection with

Breezy Path. .... 'A remand of seven days was

granted after formal, evidence had been tendered by the Crown. Ball of \$100 was permitted.

#### GODOWN BLAZE QUELLED

QUICK WORK by the Central Fire Brigade under its Superintendent. Mr. J. C. FitzHenry, prevented what might have been a serious outbrenk in an extra-hazardous godown in Connaught Road West this morn-

The godown, which is the property of the China Provident Loan & Morigage Company, was filled with matches packed in bulk, cotton wool and Olms. The fire brigade was on the spot

within a few minutes of the alarm being raised by the watch-keeper, and I had the blaze under control within ted, but the sames were prevented from spreading to adjoining godowns. The outbreak was accidently discovered by the watch-keeper, who visited the godown shortly before 9.30 a.m. to obtain samples for a client Tram and other vehicular traffic to and from Kennedy Town was held up for 40 minutes as a result of the

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Transfer of skilled workers similar occupations in the Army is wise use of man-power.

#### Franco-Spanish Railway Resumes

PARIS, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—Radiway trallic between Spain and France is now on a normal basis.

The first through train from France the express from Paris, reached the Catalan frontier on Tuesday night. The Barcelona mall train, whose Moscow or Berlin, the recommended to Congress conservice had been interrupted since the Franco war against the Government began in July, 1936, has resumed-lits schedule and now runs right

Thursday,

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1940, at 3 p.m., nt, the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency/the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Cheung Sha Wan, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, commencing from July, 1898, with the option of Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the three days thereof.

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To Sweden

London, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—
There is no confirmation in London, says "Reuter's" diplomatic correspondent, of the roport that Germany has sent the Swedish of Covernment a sharp note protesting against the despatch of volunteers, arms and ammunition to Finland, and conveying a warning that it might lead to unpleasant consequences.

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says that this is intelligent preparation.

On the other hand, both the British are contion.

PARIS, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—A comtine of the Circle to Government.

#### Fulfilling Orders

Naturally the fact that both are engaged in a major war to some extent limits their powers of material assistance, but it is revealed that certain large contracts which Finland placed in England before the outbreak ot hostilities, and which had been suspended as the result of the war,

is by no means as clear as the above- graph and Cable Company as the mentioned reports would seem to remedy for many of the existing ills

### Official Report of River Plate Battle

# LETER

HOW H.M.S. Exeter, swept by concentrated shell fire, with only one of her own heavy guns working and her gun crews killrenewal at a Crown Rent to be ed and wounded, kept on fightfixed by the Surveyor of His ing the Graf Spec, is described in an official despatch.

It comes from one of the Cotonial Governors and it is a story of British naval grit and courage and of heroes who did the impossible, of heroes who would

not be beaten. One shell, in a terrific battle that went on for an hour, killed eight men out of 15. And there was one man who had both legs shot off. But when asked how he was, he answered: "Not too badly."

of the Exeter, the men were "superb." 8 Killed By One Shell

Here is the official report as it reached London:

WEDNESDAY, December 13. with perfect visibility. Exeter, pressed-with reason. (the flagship) and Achilles, in company, sighted a battleship, which was believed; to be the Scheer throughout the action.

The enemy spotted the high mast of the Exeter soon after six. and opened fire at about 1216 miles. Excier returned the fire, the vessels steaming parallel.

The first salve from the German 11-inch guns fell short! the second fell directly astern; the third and fourth missed, but the fifth scored a hit and the seventh a direct hit. The impact of a shell on the for-ward turnet killed outright eight out of 15 of the crew of Marines and made havoe of the bridge immediate-

#### Shot For Shot

day of January, 1940, at 3 p.m., The captain was unscathed, but at the Offices of the Public one of two men with him was killed. Excter closed, receiving three or four more hits from 11-inch shells and coming under fire from the one Lot of Crown Land at Ma Graf Spee's 5.9-inch guns. She re-Tau Kok, in the Colony of Hong turned shot for shot till only one Kong, for a term of 75 years, 8-inch gun could be fired and that ['8-inch guns.]

Numerous shells which fall alongside riddled the ship's side and upper works on bursting.

"During the day our patrols and Lyne, C. H., Bignalman, C/J.142626, reconnaissance parties successfully Macdermott, Ronald A., Ab. Smn., fulfilled their missions in the various phist, C/JX.128734; McNamara, E. C., Actg. fulfilled their missions in the various points at the front "Towards mld-day, two enemy planes were brought down by our

Indeed in some quarters it is sug- solidation of the Western Union Telegested that the attitude of Germany graph Company and the Postal Telein the communications industry.

### BEHIND THE HEADLINES

Graf Spec's defeat by smaller British vessels of inferior armament, plus her comparative failure against British shipping in three months of war, have raised doubts as to the value of the "pocket" ship in the future.

Meanwhile, Ribbentrop has not been idle. For weeks he has been trying in vain to woo Japan.

Fom a high diplomatic source we learn that he even suggested that Germany would give the Japanese a footing in the Dutch East Indies in return for co-operation.

This suggestion was first made at the time Hitler was considering an invasion of Holland. It is even said that the threatened invasion was partly intended to impress the Japanese.

Japan did not fall for the bait. But it is still dangling on the hook.

General von Fritsch has put his foot in it-post-humously. was a cloudless day, calm and He was mysteriously killed in Poland. His will has been sup-

> He left a small sum to a fund for the benefit of brother officers "who have a sound conception of justice, religion and human dignity." He refers to the Russo-German pact and calls. on fellow-officers to fight against "dishonourable methods of modern politicians"—meaning Nazis.

His lawyer, who circulated copies to officers concerned, is said to have disappeared.

Estonia is now entirely in Soviet hands-except for govern-

Stalin has offered General Laidoner, Estonian C.-in-C., enough war material to create a powerful army. Offer accepted. Stalin intends that this army shall be at Russia's service—if and when necessary.

# Former H'kong

The Admiralty has issued the following list of casualties which occurred when H.M.S. Duchess was sunk.

The list is now believed to be complete, and the next of kin

Numerous shells which falls of all constructed have been informed.

The steering gear was damaged that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the supplicast) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

The Decoration of the June 1 of the Purchaser (if the Purchaser (if the Purchaser) (if th of all concerned have been informed.

Kentey, George, Ab. Smn., C/88X.16755; Ldg. Smn., C/JX.147854; McMeekin, Harold., Ord. Smn., C/SSX.27721; Mills, S. N., Actg. Ldg. Smn., C/JX.127800; Moore, G., Stoker 1st Cl., D/KX.86964; Morecroft, Albert F., Ab, Smn., C/J.108300; Mounter, J. W. J., Petty Offr., C/J.114250; Munt, George T., Ord. Smn., C/SSX.28195; Murton, Stanley J. L., Ab, Smn.,

C/JX.141779. suspended as the result of the war, are now being executed.

The French are also supplying money and munitions, and the policy of the two governments would seem to be to continue this help regardless of the impression it might produce in Moscow or Berlin.

Moscow or Berlin.

Indeed in some quarters it is suggested.

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(Continued from Page 1.) designing new and highly important

models of Red Army nrmament, Vossili Degtyarev . is awarded the title of Hero of Socialist Labour, the Order of Lenin and 50,000 roubles. The "Izvestia" remarks that Degtyarev's inventions have been of very great importance, enhancing the technical might of the Red Army. Infantry, aviation and tank troops have received armaments in no way

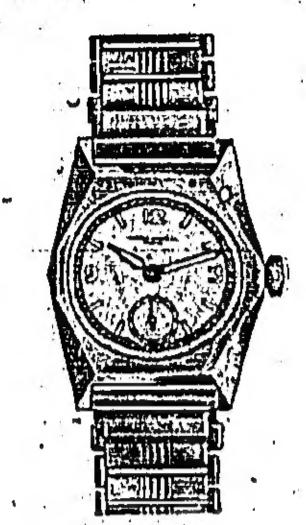
Murphy, former High Commissioner of the Philippines, will be appointed Hotoria, William II. Ab. Smn. Solicitor-General, Mr. Robert Jack-Smir C/83x20022; Rogers, Clarence H., son, will become Attorney General.

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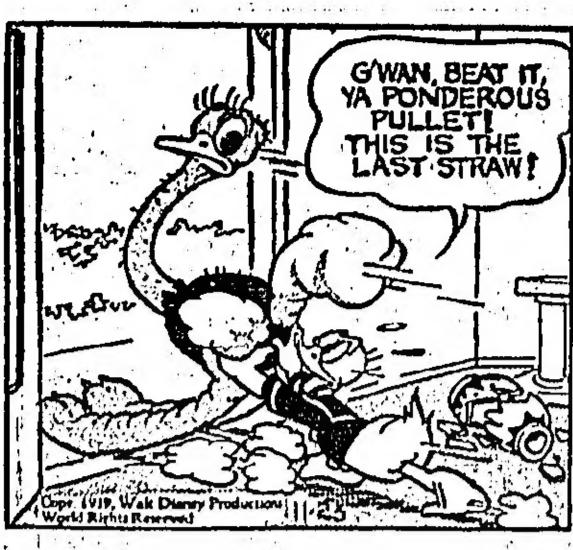


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### A Look Through The "Telegraph"

#### -Lather 50 YEARS AGO

62121) T. 1 ... Jan. 4, 1890. Governor des Voeux will, in all pro-March, and his return is uncertain. His Excellency's health has, unfortunately, not been so satisfactory as could have been wished. Hongkong will greatly miss one of the ablest and most conscientious rulers that has ever controlled the destinies of the colony. 25 YEARS AGO

Jan. 4, 1915. The first contingent will leave Hongkong on January 29. Intending recruits must be finally accepted before Jan. 10. if they wish to proceed with the first Car and Foundry Company, Mr. John America by Coronado and the contingent.

R. Nielson, was attacked in his office Spanish Conquistadores.

to approve of the grant of the Victoria demanded Mr. Nielson to hand over Cross to nine officers, non-commissioned the pay roll of Yuan 8,000. It is officers, and, men, .. for conspletions believed that the thugs were strike bravory while serving with the Expeditionary Force.

#### 10 YEARS AGO

Rent Problem Committee held their grennde. It did not explode. eighth meeting at the big hall of the Mr. Nielson chased the ficeing fuses to leave his bad. A psychiater Hess and both of them against 24 Trade Guilds Association last night. thurs and grappled with one of them.

lodged a telegraphic appeal with the range, but did not hit him." League of Nations, alleging that Italian derlogubi and that they attacked the huddled at one end of the compound Abyssinian garrison there on December and watched the thugs escape.— drama of the North-West Frontier, done wor in Germany which was launched the border there is nothing to prevent

7.30 London Relay-The News. 8.0 Local Time Signal, Weather

Cheval (Trenet-Arcady); J'al Connu Asia from which it spread to various De Vous (Trenet) . . . . Charles Trenet lands.

Orchestra... 8.30 Concert Waltzes. chestra cond, by Dr. Leo Blech.

chology of the Wor. 9.05 Roger Quilter-Three English Dances.

New Light Symphony Orchestra. 0.15 London Relay-News Sum-9.24 Selections from "The Bohemian Girl," "A Country Girl" and "The Quaker Girl,"

9.45 Pairlela Rossborough (Piano) and Robinson Cleaver (Organ). Zampa (Herold); Carefree-Selecion; That Certain Age-Selection; Nola (Arndt); The Wedding of the Painted Doll (Brown). 10.0 An hour of Dance Music.

11.0 Close down.

### **EUROPEAN** TACKLES ROBBERS

by six Chinese thugs, armed with The King has been graciously pleased Mausers and hand grenades. They of the grant of the Victoria demanded Mr. Nielson to hand over OUR GUIDE TO

agitators. Mr. Nielson seized the gun of the nearest assallant, whereupon the The members and officials of the door. The last man threw a hand roles in this film. In a country house He took a gun from another

Jan. 4, 1986. Chased away the last thug, The Abyssinian Government has pumped shots at Mr. Nielson at close normal healthy child. Needless to way, Three hundred employees were

Burma Expedition Makes New Discovery

# 66 MAINKIND'S CRADLE?

PHILADELPHIA. —Further evidence that South eastern Asia was the most Ekely "cradle of mankind," was presented before the autumn meeting of the American Philosophical Society.

Helmut Deterra, formerly of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia, gave a preliminary report of his expedition to Burma under a grant from the Philosophical Society, asserting that tools and weapons of very ancient origin had been found which must have been contemporary to both Pithecanthropus (Java man) and Sinanthropus (Peking man).
These are the oldest distinctly human remains found and have been

dated at approximately 1,000,000 Opinion favours the theory that although Peking man was very primitive and possessed of only a low grade intelligence, both may have existed at the same time just as there are variations in head size and human knowledge among the inhabitants of earth to-day.

Form vs. Usefulness "The type of tool we found is so primitive," Mr. Deterra said, "as to confirm the theory of low grade intelligence, corresponding to the crude mental status of Poking man. Rather than form, which occupied the attention of later races in Africa and Europe, the technique employed by these most ancient of Assatic tool-making races purposed immedi-

in n ate usefulness." The explorer told also of finding parallels of the same kind of stone J'Attendrai... (Oliveri & Poterat); age culture in Northern India, 'in Sombreros and Mantillas (Valsade & Java, and in China, wherefore his Chanty)...,Rina Ketty (Vocal) with surmise that the most ancient tool-Orchestra; Vous Oubliez Votre making originated in Southeastern

(Vocal) with Orchestra; One-Step- The first remains attributed to Parade D'Olseau; Valse Musette- Pithecanthropus were found in Java 1.0 Local Time Signal and Wea- Reve Secret .....L'Accordeoniste more than half a century ago by a her Report.

Alexander & His Orchestra; Rien Que Dutch palaeontologist, Eugene Du
1.03 Martha Eggerih (Soprano) Mon Coeur (Martel & Others); Le Bois. The race, at least the portion and Czech Philharmonic Orchestra. Clocher D'Amour (Martel & Others) living in Java, was wiped out by

1.30 Reuter & Rugby Press.

Weather Forceast and Announce— tra; En Quittant Une Ville (Trenet) Throughout the centuries 32 active .... Charles Trenet (Vocal) & His volcanoes have built up layers of ash and mud to an average depth of 80

Spring Waltz (arr. Schwartz); But during the comparatively re-Waltz Nanette (arr. Schwartz)... cent rising of the land, the Solo Russian Novelty Orchestra; My Darl- River slowly cut away the debris ing Waltz (The Gypsy Baron — J. and it was along the banks of this face to where it was before the erup-8.45 Studio-Talk on 'The Psy- tions, that many valuable finds are

being made. Migration Of Horse

In his talk before the society Mr. They say that Goering is conDeterm told of a number of vertebrate fossils he uncovered among hitler failed—to secure peace admitted towards the British or nacient river formations in Upper Hitler failed—to secure peace French soldier in the field. In his talk before the society Mr. horse. He thereby definitely estable evitable economic catastrophe, lishes its migration to tropical Southern Asia at this early date. What makes the story of the horse the repeated warnings in the news- information to France and Britain "dawn-horse" was a five-toed creature about the size of a dog,

that after the horse migrated to Nazi "Voelkischer Beobachter." other parts of the world in comparatively recent times, it became extinct in America. The "so-called wild horses of the American west, captured and trained by the early Shanghai, Jan. 3. ploneers, are said to have been the cessor in the leadership of Germany.

a wealthy and pampered young boy red He cannot play off Goering against is called in and on his advice alx young Himmler any longor. boys of the street are brought from the East wide of New York to encourage who the voluntary invalid to behave like a the "little tough guys" make short

work of the American Fauntleroy.

## As They See It Abroad



"If the first caveman came back" I"Pitts burgh Post Gazette," U.S.A.

## Goering's Fuehrer

BY WILLI FRISCHAUER

DOES Goering think he would be acceptable to the Strauss).... Berlin State Opera Or stream, now having eroded the sur Allies as an alternative to Hitler?

under this impression and is acting accordingly.

Burma. Probably the most impor- for Germany in the near future tant of these finds were of the and save his country from in-

That, they declare, accounts for

These admissions are in sharp con-A further complication of the trast to the "everything in the nuts. picture is found in the knowledge larder's lovely" boasts of the official reply one can give.

> ACCORDING to reliable information Goering has been suffering from this "Crown-Prince" complex ever

> In Schorffielde, Goering's country estate, n: Nazi shadow Government is functioning, Goering holds court and industrial leaders.

Whatever their plans, they must be "Little Tough: Gays in Society" regret the announcement of his who appeared with such success in dramatic political testament at the

And he cannot drop his successor.

"ENEMIES in your rearl" With this warning the 'Voelklacher Beobachler" continues a hate Massey and Sabu in a specious melo- campaign against British prisoners of . Once an American plane is across

escape from Germany.

They even hid secret codes in-

### Push-And-Pull On Border

WASHINGTON Government ofthere surrounded by a few generals ficials ruled recently that American warplanes bought by the French, British and Canadian Governments could not be flown to Canada under their own power, and could not take off from American soil for flights across the Atlantic. "

> Under international law, it was ruled, this would constitute an armed

Experts agreed, however, that there was nothing to prevent planes being flown to the Canadian border and being pushed or pulled across the border without being dismantied.

with an official caution against them, it being flown across the Atlantic.

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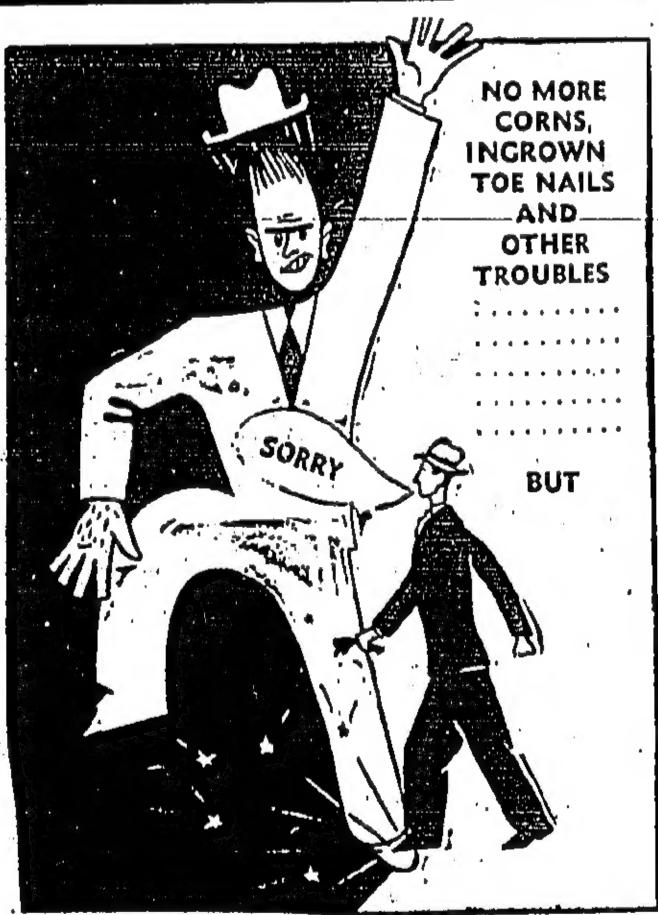
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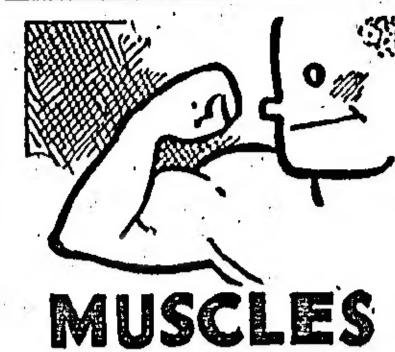
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#### Beating The Bomber?

THIS is a war of paradoxes. · Russia brands Britain and France as aggressors for doing what it has been urging them to ing notched billets of wood on do for years. For weeks the each other without any fighting hotel and a few shops, the worth talking of taking place. It is therefore perhaps not surprist tween the trees, with ing that the claim of Dr. Goeb- | thousand little islands. bels' Propaganda Ministry that fifty per cent of the British airplanes which raided Wilhelm-Cuxhaven were against Germany's chances of

From the British point of view these raids were highly in Norway. successful; but no attempt has tacking force suffered heavy smaller. The next stop on the feasts are of reindeer meat. losses. Heavy losses, too, have been inflicted upon German air- tery and an inn. Some miles family and their luggage travel over planes striving to bomb the further on is Alaluostari, where the snow in "pulkas". These are English chast. And a German Then there are no more signs one person only. Once in, you are bomber was brought down by of human life until Liinahamari your very wild puller decide to run the Royal Air Force Patrol be- is reached. fore it reached British shores.

ultimate success.

These German losses have been ascribed to marked superiority in the British fighter a petrol station, several dwel- posing you get a docide beast, the planes. But the more considered ling-houses and godowns were motion is pleasant. He can attain them! and generally accepted view is years ago and by now it must clumsy, lolloping gait, and cover whilst her mother told her how that air defence is to-day so well be very much enlarged. All this conditions. organised and efficient that, tract of land north of Pitkajarvi both in Germany and in Britain, Soviets claim to have conquered PESIDE the native Lapp, many to leave plenty of room for Ah the Chief of the next village it has got the upper hand over or captured it, it is probably an D Finns have settled up in the Tai behind!" the attack.

Subsequent events may cause this judgment to be revised. ed country is of necessity desolate regions lead at the best of But so far, it is the logical con- difficult . . . almost insuper- times an extremely hard life. clusion from the course the war ably difficult in summer. Great has taken.

greatly to the advantage of the Allies. It is not they, but Germany, whose power is built on safe and with their lack of an assumption of the overwhelm-

It is not they, but Germany, swift. who will suffer most if this

striking power be neutralised. If, in fact, the bomber cannot WINNISH skis have, as a rule, always get through, Germany will have lost the advantage harness needed by sklers in upon which she very largely re-

## Warfare in Arctic Circle

fighting in Finnish Lapland, where Soviet troops and Finns struggle for possession of the Arctic Road, close-growing trees. is not familiar to many.

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

during happier times to catch the salmon and trout that abound in the lakes and rivers. A handful of motorists take their cars up romantic way. the sandy high-

way from the Arctic.Circle, where the Helsingfors - Rovaniemi - railway ends, to Liinahamari, the iccfree harbour on

At intervals all the way up the hotels, charmingly furnished, where in summer students from the University, speaking several languages, look after the comfort of tourists and of buses, that take two days over

THE southern half of the road is pretty but monotonous. cover the rolling countryside. Here and there a river cuts the road and while unfrozen must be crossed on a floating platform that is propelled by hookthe wires that stretch from bank to bank. But beyond Ivalo. world's mightiest armies face which boasts a tiny hospital, a scenery improves. The enorm-

> At Salmijarvi and Pitkajarvi where battles are now being of country to be seen. Pitkujarvi, ("jarvi" means "lake") down tells heavily is particularly beautiful. huge stretch of water is backed by a great hill which in summer and winter is equally impressive. fur-a hood, a cloak, huge mitts. The road runs along the east shore and the western shore is

> > bus route is Ylaluostari, where there is a small Russian monasthere is another Russian church. narrow, boat-shaped sleighs holding

quite a settlement. A large inn, gore you, pulka and all. But sup- the small children who carry there when I last visited it five quite a considerable speed with his is called Petsamo, so when the exaggeration.

this sort of heavily woodsas" cover low-lying land be crossed by those who know the 7 or 8 months of snow. them well. In winter, of course, the ice and snow make them. ing striking force of airplanes. where progress on skis is at all.

none of the complicated exhaustion. mountainous districts. A simple strap allows a curly-toed boot to be slipped in and out at kind of real or successful victory

THE SCENE of to-day's a moment's notice, once in, this same curly toe keeps it in place. In the forests it is more convenient to carry them than to manocuvre them through the

Fighters in this Northern A few fishermen of vary- land these days never see the ing nationalities go there sun. In fact all this month they will probably see no day-

> Between noon and 3 p.m. a rosy glow on the horizon lights up the snow in a theatrical and

Duringthe night the glories of the shimmersea-green and pink Aurora Borcalis may thrill them in Northern

the Arctic sky. Otherwise they must depend on the moon and stars to light their way. Early in the New Year the sun appears again and road are little red wooden every "day" is considerably longer than the one before. hastening towards the 24-hour length it attains at the end of

passengers from the twice-a-day THE NATIVE inhabitants of the country suffer, we can hope, possibly less than refugees of any other race because they are a nomadic people.

The little Lapp, most timid and harmless of souls, travels hundreds of miles every winter Endless fir-forests completely after new feeding-grounds for the reindeer that are his wealth.

Living in their pointed skin tents, they settle a while round some place where their beasts can hoof away the snow and browse on the moss they love. The men spear holes in the ice spare, she called Ah Mooi. of the lake and fish under conthe toughest of Messrs. Hardy's been called. For days she had the small Ah Mooi looking so customers. Then, the feeding been so happy and excited, ous lake of Inari can be seen be- ground laid waste, they move on though no one would have to be afraid. ite with all their belongings to the guessed this; Chinese children

next suitable spot. It is only in summer, when their reindeer are turned loose to range at tranquil) for she had been pro- Tai she would be punished. will over the whole country, that the Lapp stays any length of time in one -fought,-is-the-grandest\_stretch\_place-and-even-then-he-makes-manyexcursions in his skin canoes, including one grand trek down to Royaniemi to sell the skins collected during the winter.

The reindeer provides the Lapp with his winter clothing of skin and and loose fur stockings to tuck into his soft, high boots. These are also stuffed with straw against frost-bite. Reindeer horn provides his wife with needles and weaving-shuttles and with pins for her hair. His been made to deny that the at- gradually grow fewer and children drink reindeer milk and his

> necessary of his reindeer to act as transport animals. He and all his away, you may turn somersaults and

northernmost parts of their country and the loss of their farms and Progress by troops over villages, burnt by retreating armies; will cause terrible suffering. Farmers and wood-cutters in these COON lovely fat Ah Tai-who two or three years ago.

During the short summer, tortreacherous swamps called "mos- mented by mosquitoes, they must small flat back and Ah Mooi put grandparents, who really matterto collect green stuff for themselves a small hand to each side, held ed most, for grandparents are Manifestly it is a conclusion between lakes and can only then and hay to feed their beasts during the tiny feet, and felt im- very important in China, it was

> .In the winter, apart from trapping, there is little that can be done out-ofdoors. Those who can afford it, often move down to Rovaniemi for bound lakes, the only places at the first sign of thaw. It is these hardy men who are

> > their own country. It would be difficult to find a more determined adversary than the Finn with that inborn quality of "sisu",

Should the Soviet, with her over- a corner by the well. whelmingly superior numbers, overrun his country, she will find that even then she is very far from any



brown, slender with a mouth like a' folded

One lovely morning, when all the rice had been gathered and when Ah Mooi's mother had a little time to

Ah Mooi knew why she had are usually so grave and Soon Ah Mooi was telling him mised that soon she was to The foreigner said he would take begin to carry Ah Tai ("Little her home and explain everything Brother") on her back.

Sometimes several sticks would loved him. Very soon Ah Mooi be fastened to her back, then an was telling him how, to-day, Ah Mooi could hardly wait to be Ah Tai for the first time. allowed to have Ah Tai fastened Then, too, he trains as many as in the me-tasi which grand- in her silvery voice the doctor mother had embroidered so was watching her carefully,

beautifully. A me-taai is a large square doctor had lived a long time in sling made of strong cloth and China: one of the things that with coloured embroidery on it- made him sad was that so many often of birds and flowers. It children suffered in this way Because this harbour remains very hard ground but you cannot get has four long ends to fold and and often went blind. open throughout the severest out unless you cut the traces and let tie round the body. Very often winter it was rapidly becoming him go. If you annoy your reinthe babies are nearly as big as treating and often curing them,

> Ah Mooi came and listened devils." careful she was to be of Ah Tai. lucky day, for just as her "If you sit, Ah Mooi, remember mother came out to meet her,.

fastened up tight to Ah Mooi's ing with Ah. Mooi's parents and measurably happy.

Ah Tai was wearing his "tiger" cap with two pointed fur cars, so that any wandering evil spirits would think it was harvested, little Ah Mooi was aghting on their own ground to keep a ferocious tiger and not a baby completely cured and back, with and give it a wide berth. ..

She trotted off and walked that quality which prevents a man along the narrow grass verge things she had seen in the big from giving up despite privation and which separated the rice fields hospital and how kind the from each other and was turning "foreign devils" had been.

came springing towards her.

H MOOI was six years For a moment Ah Mooi's old, small and golden heart nearly stopped beating. and was turning to run away when she remembered the little brother fastened on her back. She stood quite still and held his small feet.

How glad she was to hear. someone calling.

The creature stopped as in a moment a big "foreigner" came along and fastened a large strap to his Alsatian. When he saw her in Chinese and told her not

that if anything had hurt Ah to her mother.

FOR some months Ah Mooi had THE foreigner, who was really been prepared for this. the Chinese as much as they all old doll and later a bundle; and she had been allowed to carry

> While she was chattering away noticing that Ah Mooi's eyes were inflamed and sore. The

He had found a way of but it usually meant hospitaloften too difficult, for Chinese. parents are afraid of the foreign

Somehow this was Ah Mooi's came by. He hurrled forward and told Ah Mooi's mother how the wonderful foreign doctor had cured his son's eyes some

was several months old-was | Bye and bye, after much talkagreed that Ah Mooi should go with the doctor."

By the time the rice was next Ah Tai again fastened in the metani to her small back. She told him of all the wonderful

To-day Ah Mooi is happily Suddenly a huge creature employed as Amah to the doctor's children.-C.

### OVERNIGHT NEWS PAGE

#### Pilot's Account Of Battle

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuler).--It is learned that three R.A.F. bombers left their base on a patrol search for German warchips. They were about 80 miles north-west of Heligoland in close formation at about 10,000 feet when they were suddenly attacked by 12 Messerschmidt-100 long range fighters.

The pilot of the third machine said, "We were going south when suddenly the lookout man shouted 'fighters,' Almost before he had given the warning I saw streams of white tracer bullets flashing past the port side. I then realised this was a serious battle. We had not seen the enemy because they came straight out of the sun.

"The first burst of enemy fire penetrated our fusciage but did no material damage. We found ourselves fighting 12 enemy machines. More bullets entered our aircraft and some missed us by only a few inches."

Six Messerschmidts made three dual attacks upon the bomber, which escaped after bringing down two of its attackers.

### MORE ARRESTS REICH

London, Jan. 3.

ly swept over the Czech Protectorate, same region the Finns have the ini-The Times correspondent in Belgrade littive at the moment. custody.

respondence section of the Skoda anchored in the north at Tapale and Works are held in custody for in- in the south opposite Koivisto Island, vestigation and there have been ar- where heavy Finnish batteries, rests also in the newly formed Gov- | despite the constant poundings by air ernment troops. Two journalists bombs and heavy warship artillery were arrested in their offices. The shells, enfillade the Soviet lines, Gestapo has raided an illegal newspaper called It Boj (To Arms) and which the Finns expected almost any some of the editorial collaborators are day, has not yet materialised, but believed to have been killed.

which used to be shown to tourists as without success. examples of mediaeval barbarism, are now in use.—Reuter Special.

#### Report Denied

renewed its attacks on the Belgian of action, and most of its equipment, Press which is accused of being pro-Ally and not neutral.-United Press.

#### Newswoman's Prediction

New York, Jan. 3. The prediction that 1940 will bring United Press. purges in Germany is made by Dorothy Thompson writing in the Herald-Tribune, She also forecasts that the Nazi

regime will encounter very strong opposition from the women and farmers during the year-Reuter.

#### Afghan Border London, Jan. 3.

Afghanistan.

It is further learned that the farmers. Alghan Government has officially denied there has been any mobilisa-Hon of their armed forces and nothing whatever is known of any mobilisation in Iran.-Reuter.

#### FIRE PUTS STOP TO WEDDING

LIVERMORE, Cal.—That little, and apparently useless, warning which the marrying minister always gives to the effect that if anyone knows any reason why the wedding should not proceed "to state them now or forever hold their peace," is not always as superfluous as it may seem.

there certainly were reasons why the cold and snow.-United Press. ceremony should not proceed. "The house is on fire," he de-

clared. Firemen put out the root blaze and Compulsory and ccremony was continued.

#### R.A.F. PLANE'S FATAL FLIGHT

ters while engaged in reconnaissance | transport. over Germany.

ed and two were slightly injured.

Finnish-Russian

#### DEFENDERS TAKE INITIATIVE. IN NORTHERN FRONT

The presence of new contingents of the Red Army on the Finnish front is confirmed. They have not figured yet in a co-ordinated drive and the position between the two armies has remnined largely unchanged during the past few days except in the north, where the defenders appear to have the initiative.

· Helsinki, Jan. 3. A large body of Soviet troops surrounded on the Salla front are trying their utmost to break through the Finnish lines. A flerce battle progressed throughout yesterday, but the Russians were unable to make their

way through.

The Firmish forces are working in small groups and, although outnum-25 miles of Petsamo,-Reuter Bul- Russia.

#### Finn Position Very Good

Helsinki, Jan. 3.

the commencement of the war. between Lake Ladoga and the Arctic Norway and Sweden.-Reuter. Ocean have been decisively smashed with Russian losses running into tens

same callibre as those of the Russians, pear in Finland Germany will fight more authorised ships. Three thrusts have been crushed on Russla's side, an authoritative and thrown back across the frontier source here stated to-day that this gress request, is assembling data as She is at present staying with Mrs. opposite Sisalms, and two converging is an absolute mistake and that to the feasibility of construction of M. Hinyard, 34 Hillwood Road. columns in the region of Sujavisalms, nothing of the kind has been said. super-battleships up to 80,000 tons, completely routed.

now been definitely checked. Ladoga has crumpled against the this source added,-United Press, A new wave of arrests has recent- Finnish resistance, and in the Pet-

learns from Prague, Four Generals | Also, on the Mannerheim Line.

The great Russian general offensive, there is ample evidence that the The prisons in Prague are still full Soviet shock battalions of their best and the Karlovo Namesti dungeons, young troops have been in action As eyewitness reports came in

from north of Lake Lodoga, magnitude of the Finnish victory in that region has increased. Authoritative quariers deny the ment which would have endangered cluded at an early date, with Finland beginning of the war.

| Berlin, Jan. 3. | Common the confidence that this war will be confidence that the ships, totalling 17,000 tons, since the weather during a week's passage beginning of the war. Copenhagen reports that Russia has the whole Isthmus front position, were continuing to exist as an independent asked Germany to send specialists smashed so completely that one whole State.—Reuter.

Russian division, between fifteen to The Vocikischer Beobachter had eighteen thousand men, was put out except rifles captured. The narrow winding roads in the thick forests are strewn with dead

and the forests are carpeted with frozen bodies of Russians, now mostly covered by a fresh fall of snew .--

#### Russians And Civilians

Stockholrn, Jan. 3. The Soviet authorities have issued strict orders never to fire on civilians but only on military objectives, ac- ent Garner, Senator Barkeley, leader and at advancing rates. cording to an officer attached to the of the Senate, and Congressman Soviet Air Force who was among Rayburn, leader of the House of Refour Russian prisoners taken at presentatives, reviewed plans and It is authoritatively stated in Icm- Vilpiri and with whom Scandinavian hopes for the new session of Condon official circles that no credence correspondents were allowed to talk. gress at an hour's conference. whatever can be attached to the The prisoners, who were captured rumours given out in certain foreign recently and are now awaiting transbroadcasts of Russian troop con- fer to a Finnish intermment camp, centrations on the borders of comprised Soviet Air Force noncommissioned officers and two ex-

One of the officers, who was 20 following the conference. This was years old and actually belonged to his first meeting with President the infantry, was the machine gun- Roosevelt since he announced he ner and observer in a bomber which was available for nomination as a was shot down in flames and was candidate for the Presidency. the only member of the crew who | Senator Bankhead said the succeeded in escaping by parachute, sident's message would deal at Asked whether he had ever fired length with Foreign affairs. on civilians, he replied, "We are only

"I read in the great book every day and I believe in God," said one of the farmers: "I read about that at school too, but he is not the one to believe in when you jump out of a

The other farmer from the Ukraine foreign affairs. The officialing minister at the wed- said he felt fine. He had been told . It is predicted that he will ask, ding of Miss Bertha Carlson and the Finns would cut of his finger first, for extension of the reciprocal Milton Fisher had just reached that halls and torture him in other ways trade treaty expiring in June; second, point, when a neighbour poked his if he were taken prisoner, but he now head in the door and announced that had hopes of not returning to the

## Announced

Sweden and Rumania, are to have measure. compulsory labour services.

LONDON, Jan. 8 (Reuter).—The Tuesday, labour will be compulsory fight for economy. The chief re-Air Ministry announces that the Bri- for equipping and maintaining straining element to further spendthe aircraft forced down in Belgium Sweden's defences as well as for ing in any case will be the fact of was attacked by three German figh- such vital corvices as agriculture and the steadily mounting national debt,

#### Sweden Threatened

Copenhagen, Jan. 3. Germany in a diplomatic note has warned Sweden that she cannot allow her to tolerate any help to Finland by the Western Powers, according to the Berlin correspondent of the Berlingske

The correspondent says the Gerbered, their knowledge of the country has made the'r attacks successful.

In the not a the Firms have im
In the not a the Firms have im
To the country the successful they are to establish air and naval bases in the proved their positions and they are northern countries whence attacks reported to have advanced to within could be made against Germany and

steps taken by Britain and France, construction programme. and they assert that the Finnish ques-Strategically the positions of the tion concerns Germany as well as the

#### Veiled Nazi Insult .

Berlin, Jan. 3. which penetrated farther, have been "As long as Britain gives to Fin- but it was too early to reach any Another passenger who returned land the type of help she gave conclusions. He intends to push to the East via Australia was Mr.

#### Excusing An Ally

Moravia are among those taken into war, they are still blocked by a stone on Russia than any direct Finnish production basis.—United Press. threat to Leningrad, declared Dr. Sun The entire staff of the foreign cor- The Line continues to be firmly Fo in a speech on December 23 here, the text of which is being published by the Chinese Press in instalments. The fear that Germany will launch attacks on Russia through small countries like Estonia, Latvia Lithuania and Finland, Dr. Sun Fo of H.M.S. Alax with flowers. continued, prompted Russia's move in the small Baltic countries.

unnecessary, since despite the fact Ministers. that Finland is being used by certain Powers, Finland would not attack lasting two days.-Reuter. Russia, while Germany now is too busy to attempt any attack on Russia. He believes that the Soviet-Finnish It became evident that Russian wars, and concludes by expressing has announced that Sweden lost 11 war is different from other recent

### AMERICAN **LEADERS** CONFER

Senator Barkeley said President Roosevelt outlined the message he will deliver to-morrow to the joint session of both Houses,

He said the Budget message may not be sent before Friday, Mr. Garner was in jovial mood It is reliably reported that Preallowed to shoot at military objec- sident Roosevelt will point out the need for \$400,000,000 to \$500,000,000

new revenue to finance the increased defence programme.—United Press. Address To-day

Washington, Jan. 3. Congress meets at noon on Wedburning airplane," interjected the nesday to hear President Roosevelt's "state of union" message which is expected to deal extensively with

an additional 500 million dollars to be expended on national defence, but not for special taxes: third, remind the legislators of Congress that they are already 550 million dollars above the budget account in farm parity Labour and other agricultural payments; fourth, no recommendations for new taxes; fifth, defend the neutrality programme; sixth, no proposal for LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—Both revival of the spending and lending

The Democrats hope for a short In Sweden under a Bill passed on tives and Democrats are expected to session. The Republicans, Conservawhich is at present 42,000 million All farm labour, it was announced and within 3,000 million of the 45,-One member of the crew was kill- in Rumania to-day, is now comput- 000 million statutory limit,—United

#### LEADERS ALLIED EXCHANGE GREETINGS

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—His Majesty the King in his New Year telegram to President Lebrun said, "At the beginning of the New Year which finds our nations so closely united in the renewed struggle against senseless aggression, I address to you my warmest best wishes for your health and happiness and for the success of the French people in the great efforts which they are making together with the British ally for the defence of the libertles which to them are so dear.

"It is with the greatest confidence that I foresce the accomplishment of a joint victory which will allow our respective countries to enjoy the blessings of peace which will be untroubled by violent threats repeated by those who showed so clearly their aversion for any peace with their neighbours other than that of subjection and oppression."

President Lebrun replied expressing his good wishes for the happiness of the King and Queen and his wishes that the British people should share with the French during this year the definite success which they deserve by so many common sacrifices made for the most just of causes.

## FLEET

Washington, Jan. 3. Mr. Charles Edison, Assistant Navy Wilhelmstrasse officials, the corres- Secretary, is studying means for anpondent continues, are watching the celeration of the record warship

Finns all along their frontier are northern countries and that active building programme was progressing Australia yesterday. Mrs. Aris's rebetter now than at any time since British assistance to Finland would ahead of schedule in some categories turn to the East, where she had result in Germany immediately re- without causing delay in any other spent 33 years, is the outcome of her Five of the twelve separate thrusts considering her nititude towards category. The authorised programme husband's death in England in March. was on the regular planned basis, She had intended to settle in Engany acceleration of which must be land, but when her husband died she submitted to Congress which would decided to return to Hongkong. of thousands, besides masses of war Commenting on an overseas report material which the Finns fortunately that an authoritative German source he report advantageous to lay down train with her daughter-in-law. She be called upon to decide on that becan use, because the gurs are of the had said that if British troops ap- be more advantageous to lay down Italia with her daughter-in-law. She

This thrust was designed at the Poland we are entirely disinterested, scientific research on the latest wea- C. T. Biggin of the British-American head of the Guif of Bothnia and has and even if she gave real military pons and ships and to "grab any new Tobacco Company's Shanghai Office, assistance it is questionable whether foreign ideas, inasmuch as the United He and Mrs. Biggin, who spent over The Russian column south of Lake Germany will fight on this account," States has no monopoly on brains." a year in the Colony after the evacua-

the development of fast motor tor-Chungking, Jan. 3.

The cause of the Soviet-Finnish it was easer to have a flotilla for take Mr. Biggin right round the and a large group of former Czecho- waich the Russians hoped to make war is more due to fear that Ger- tests. If they are found satisfactory, works. His wife will return to the Slovakian Army officers living in the scene of the decisive battle of the on Russia than any diseast. Finnish the Navy may produce on a mass East in a few months' time.

#### .Welcomed As Heroes

Montevidéo, Jan. 3: guayan women to receive the men disembarked.

Rear-Admiral Sir Henry Harwood, concluding non-aggression pacts with who commanded the British forces during the battle with the Admiral Dr. Sun Fo expressed the opinion Graf Spee, visited the President of that the Soviet-Finnish war was quite Uruguay and the Foreign and Defence to Kobe.

The visit is purely a courtesy one

#### Neutrals' Losses

Stockholm, Jan. 3.

The Norwegian Government has declared that their losses were 24 ships-and-the-lives-of-91-seamen.-Reuter Bulletin.

#### STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued yesterday says: Firm conditions prevailed over the President Roosevelt, Vice-Presid- Docks again being largely dealt in

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	Buyers
K. Bank	\$1,305
nton Ins.	\$200
uglases	\$72
cks	\$21.20
ovidents	\$4 1/4
tels	\$5
nds	\$32%
alties	\$4.30
amways	\$17.10
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### HONGKONG RESIDENTS RETURN

Mrs. E. E. Aris, widow of the late Mr. C. F. Aris, formerly Chief Police Inspector of Kowloon, was an un-He said the Navy's authorised expected arrival by a ship from

is well known in the Colony, where

The Navy was pushing ahead with America on leave and were on their

Mrs. J. W. Green, whose husband is a Chief Engineer with Messrs. Jardine, Matheson, and her son re-The newspaper Eldia with a very turned after about 14 months in wide circulation, appeals to the Uru- Australia. Mr. Dick On Quan also

> Through passengers, with Mr. Biggin, are Mrs. H. W. McClelland, wife of a Shanghal mission doctor, and her children; and Mr. J. A. Crockett, who is on a round trip from Rabaul

#### From England

Several Hongkong people returning from leave were aboard a British ship which arrived from England The Swedish Minister of Marine yesterday. They had an uneventful

> Mr. J. R. Luke, of the S. C. M. Post staff, arrived after nine months in England. He and his wife were unfortunate on their leave being. involved in a traffic collision, which forced them to spend several weeks in hospital. Both made excellent recovery and Mrs. Luke intends to follow her husband shortly. .

Mr. G. B. Labrum, Director of Ye Olde Printerie Ltd.; also returned. and Mrs. E. M. Basio was another passenger from London. Mr. H. W. Hyde arrived from Singapore on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wakelin, reiturning from Home leave, are through passengers for Shanghai.

### NEW YEAR TRAGEDIES

Many Die In Hotel Fire And Train Smash

BPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" An hotel fire in Minneapolis and a train smash near Tokyo yesterday resulted in at least 28 deaths, according to exclusive reports received by the "Telegraph."

A "United Press" message from Minneapolis says that at least 18 people lost their lives yesterday following an outbreak of fire in the furnace room of the Marlborough Apartment Hotel in the city.

The stairway was enveloped in flames, trapping most of the "Reuter" confirms the death roll, and adds that although all available

fire engines were called out, the cold was so intense that the water from the hoses froze before reaching the Fatal Collision A "Domei" report from Tokyo says that ten persons were killed and over 60 injured; many of them seriously,

between the Tokyo and Saly ma "A freight train ran into a passenger train crowded with New Year

when a head-on collision occurred on

Tuesday afternoon on the Mussahino

electric railway near the border

holiday-makers. The accident occurred on a steep hill, where a sharp curve prevented Hong Kong Dopot, a long range view for the engine Peak Depot,

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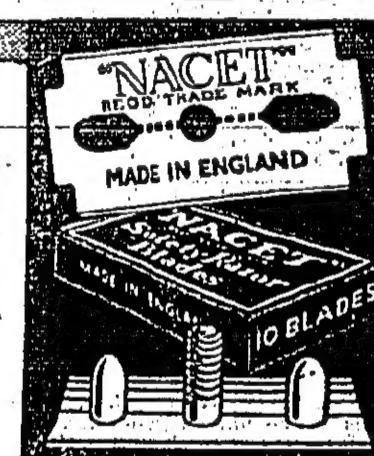


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## "Pilgrim's" Hockey Notes

### CLUB TROUNCE NAVY AT RUGGER

(By"Fly-half")

ON THE CLUB GROUND yesterday evening, the Club "A" defeated a weak Navy team at rugby by 30 points all departments, Navy put up Chinese New Year. wild rushes.

Aitkenhead, a new acquisition after January 7. stand-off half, an anxious time. from Ceylon, played a sterling settles down and gets into con- Colony a few games before Miss P. Gonsalves improved in the

Burford. Richardson made a return to form with his kicking, converting everything allotted to him. P. Wilson, on Club's left wing, showed a Sookunpoo last Sunday. In the Sookunpoo last Sunday. working forwards for the Navy.

#### Durhams v. Kai Tak At Rugby To-day

game of rugby at Prince Edward Road to-day, commencing at 5 p.m.

Richardson converted three.

ahead through tries by Wilson,

Lecuwen, Aitkennead, R. M. Lavalle half, the defnce failing to hold up a bad shaking-up during the game and P. Wilson; D. Hynes and J. Red-half, the defnce failing to hold up a bad shaking-up during the game and P. Wilson; D. Hynes and J. Red-half, the defnce failing to hold up a bad shaking-up during the game when she collided with Miss C. Silva Among the Americans who in the tournament will be played when she collided with Miss C. Silva Among the Americans who inder the U.S.G.A. rules, After. Heasman; R. M. M. King, L. A. Benn; wards being unable to make any in an attempt to score. Miss Bonney, have signified their intention to 36-hole medal play, the top 36 will at centre-half, was noticeable for near and money. About the model of the contraction Navy: Snell; Mnc. Jeffries, Mid. fence.

Badminton

trounced their hosts by 9-0. St. manfully to stay the progress of the someone took the team in hand. Andrew's won their first match when Redio forwards. Russell played a and in the remaining game St. in goal could hardly be blamed for Teresa's beat the Victoria Recreation the goals which beat him. Olub -by 8-1.

The scores were:

A. E. Brown and A. B. Bliss (8f. visitors defence throughout the game.

Andrew's) best Jones and Madar 21-1; Visitors defence throughout the game. best Kevan and Wynier-Blyth 12-17; lost to Anderson and Fisher 11-21.

E. F. Fincher and H. Kew (St., Andrews) best Jones and Madar 21-2; best Kevan and Wynter-Blyth 21-2; best ohd Miss Enion Watson in turn scor-ling very nice goals.

Austin Ho and J. Tang 21-6.

P. M. Xavier and F. Castro (V. R. C.)

lost to Lo and Tsang 10-21: lost to Tsen
and Tsang 22-M: lost to Ho and Tang display given by the intermediates,

and Tang 6-21.

## The Week-end

The following will represent Recreio seniors on such a fine vicseniors against Civil Service seniors on the fine force of the fine force

## INTERPORT. AT EASTER? Royal Engineers' First Defeat In Tournament: Victory For Radio

GOOD NEWS has been received from Macao during the New Year holidays. The Portuguese Colony, I hear, is willing to take part in the Interport with Hongkong provided that the game is (a penalty goal). Beaten in played during the Easter Holidays instead of the

I should imagine the H.K.H.A. would be only too glad up forward where they used to agree with Macao's proposal. I am inclined to think their feet to advantage in that there would be too many counter attractions during the Chinese New Year. The Macao hockey players have For Club, Medman, playing at taken to soccer this season, but they are just as anxious scrum-half, was wild in his pass- to get back to the stick game once more, and are willing ing, which gave D. Hynes, at to meet all-comers from Hongkong in friendly fixtures

In the second half, the Radiomen was the bright feature of the game.

by their tireless skipper, Gurbachan After the resumption, Medman was gave splendid support. M. H. Haspenalised for picking the ball out of san was prominent at centre-half, the C.B.A. defence worked starts here to-morrow. the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the scrum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the scrum, and the scrum and the sc The last line of defence did well,

to great effect. Fox made many correct coaching. They barely underelectrifying runs down the left wing stood the rules of the game, and man brothers, Al and Mery, of Bull In China. the right wing, also sent in some ing infringements they knew nothing useful centres during this period. St. John's Trounce

Club de Recreio

In B" Division

The inside forwards, however, gave their wingers poor support. Denyer of their wingers poor support. Denyer their wingers poor support. Denyer their wingers poor support. Denyer of alled to appear, and a kind-hearted pilgrim consented to control the game on his own, as this would have been the third occasion the young-sters would have been the third occasion the young-sters would have been let down.

THREE "B" Division Badminton matches were played yesterday. At the Club de Recreio, St. John's always in the limelight, and strove their manfully to stay the progress of the trounced their hosts by 9-0. St.

O. Arculli and B. A. Rumjahn (V. R. C.)
Shand and Miss Bercha made several
tost to P. Lo and Joseph Tsang 12-21; lost
to John Teen, and F. Tsang 8-21; best good movements, and helped im-

The following will represent Recreio late themselves on such a fine vic-

I wish more local clubs would wing, and on several occasions had game at inside-three-quarter, and should prove a valuable asset to Club 1st XV once he Colony a few grames before before the home defence in difficulties.

The outstanding player, however, was Mrs. R. Silva, at left half, and with their tackling, and were unable

Stoker, Richardson, Burford and Codfrey did well in the Club pack, with their first defeat in the the schoolgirls a triffe quicker on the

fine turn of pace in scoring two tries. first ten minutes, the Sappers creio beat the C.B.S. 4-0, in a Longmuir and Charles were hard- exerted great pressure through one-sided encounter. The Re-In the first half, Club scored their left wing, and Fox found creio juniors were by far the Lavalle, Stoker, Van the net after a fierce attack, better team, and proved too After twenty minutes, however, the champions rallied strongly and G. Singh broke through to level the score in the closing minutes of the first half.

took control of the game, and with Her nice centres paved the way for will meet Kai Tak in a friendly forwards got going, and two bril- Miss M. Osmund, at pivot. was liant goals were added by G. Singh also good, and Miss M. Ribeiro, at The winners were ably generalled clearances.

Had the Recreio forwards taken Singh, who was outstanding in the their chances in the first half their Leeuwen, Aitkenhend and Wilson. forward line for speed and opportunism. Awtar Singh and K. Singh double figures.

Jeffries converted. Club went further Gurdayal Singh were hard workers. effort at intercepting and tackling,

in the first half, and Singleton, on were continually pulled up for glar- Portland, Oregon.

they best the Kowloon C.C. by 7-2, safe game at full back, and Dobson T. AM glad to hear that the Sappers started with a rush but sented to play off their tournathey foded away for Radio to outplay ment fixture against the Royal

visiton' defence throughout the game. ground at 10 a.m. It is going to be year that it took on an international

### Hongkong Team **Beat Durhams**

One of the players taking a shot during the basketball match at the Fong Lam School where the Fong Lam girls beat the Kwangtung Girls

## GOLFERS INVADE MANILA

### Open Tournament Starts To-morrow At Wack Wack

MANILA, Jan. 4 (UP).—The strongest array of foreign golfers ever to invade Manila will participate in the 28th annual \$5,000 Philippine Open tournament which

H. J. Bolden, president of the Wack Wack Golf-and their forwards were not conspicuous Country Club, has announced that several stars from the The teams were:

Club: A. J. G. Taylor; H. Van
Leeuwen, Aitkenhead, R. M. Lavalle
and P. Wilson; D. Hynes and J. Redhalf, the defnce failing to hold up

fence.

Homburg scored his goal one was well backed up by Miss V. Moss, half-way around the world from the event of a tie, the play-off will second before the final whistle, and O'Riordan and Chapman; Marron, second before the final whistle, and the right back.

Davies, Inglis; Longmuir, Barlow; was an untiring worker for the home

Pay. Lt. Charles,: Jones and Mid. side, combining attack with defence were poor, and are sadly in need of Murray-Jones.

Heading a delegation of Australians

cipate. In the last tournament the Japanese monopolized practically all C.B.A. have sportingly con- the places from second to the tenth.

AI TEST OF SKILL

SCENE of the Philippines' Num-

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aspect. The 1938 event marked the first time sufficient inducements were offered to attract foreign stars. But then only golfers in the Far East participated.

Last January, John Montague, the "mystery" golfer and a Hollywood recent competitions played by the favourite, crossed the ocean express- Royal Hongkong Golf. Club, at P. M. Xavier and F. Castro (V. R. C.)
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### Shop Does No Damage -

NEW : YORK, Doc. 12 (UP).-IL finally happened—A bull got into a China shop to-day. The bull-Royalist Dandy Victor of Twin Oaks Farm, Morristown, N. J. -was led through the china shop by Fred Waring, orchestra leader. Both nearly died of fright, especially the

It was on a bet. Waring lost a football wager to Paul Doughas, Newsreel Sports Commentator, The loser had to lead a bull through a

to Kwok and Kwok 6-21.

R. Gonsalves and R. A. Marques (Recicle) lost to Eardley and Beavan 13-21; when they accounted for Reliked and Kwok 6-21.

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#### Results Of Fanling Golf Competitions

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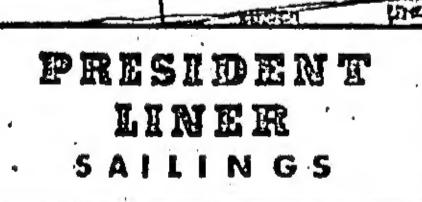
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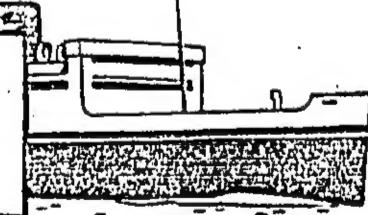
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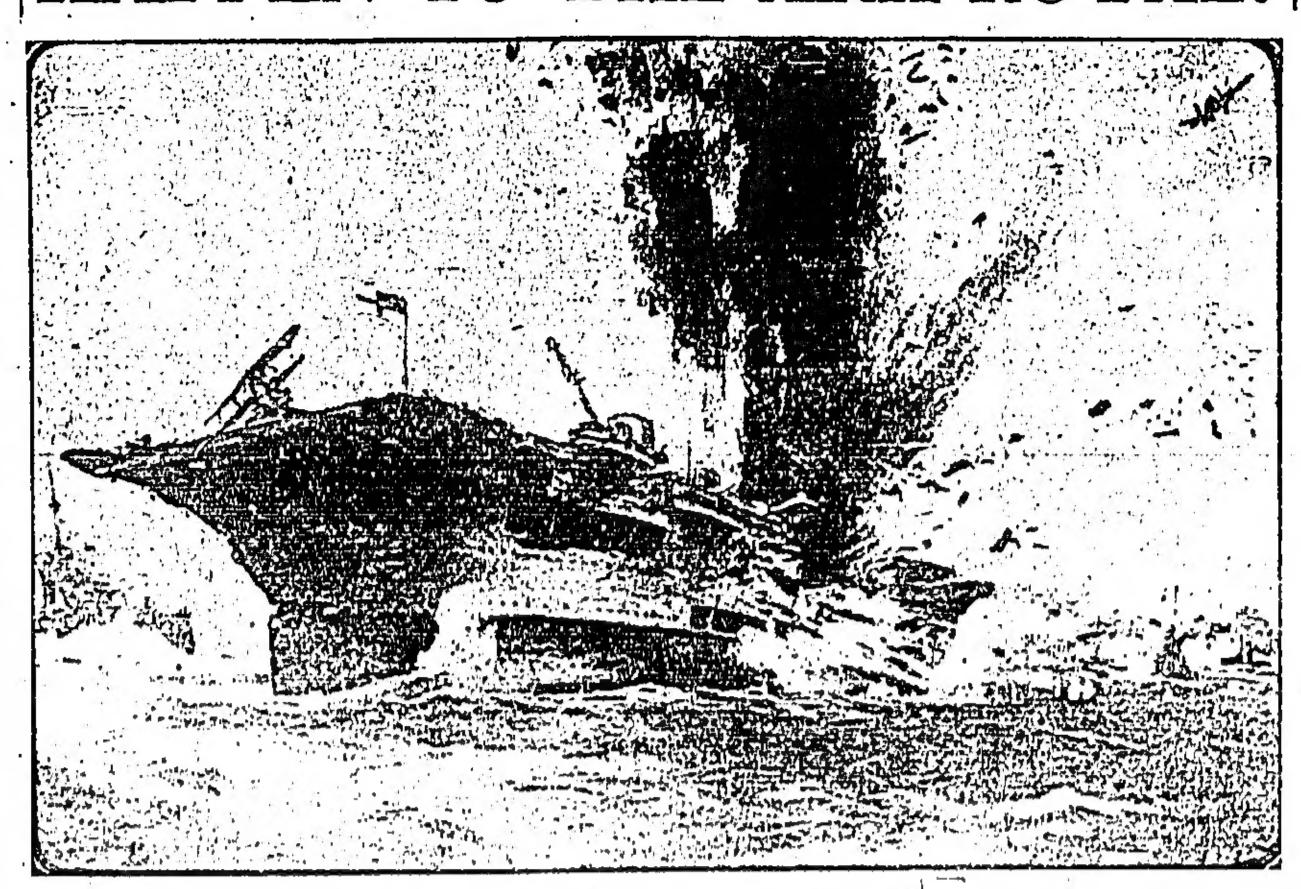
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Imagination

Was Too Vivid

Why Ark Royal Floats

BickLin, Dec. 27 (Reuter).—
The Nazi Ministry of Information, headed by Dr. Goebbels, has
now explained why the British
hircraft-carrier, Ark Royal, is

numy never claimed to have suith the [t] 'Aik Royal. She had merely asked in where the already center was.

The Nazir, said the sammuneer.

would never give out information of which was not true. They, therefore, if could not have claimed to have sunk a

the Ark Royal, Unfortunately for Dr. Goobbels, listeners all over the world have H

lieard to the contrary.

In one typical broadcast from Zecen, it was said: "It is clearly cotablished that the Ark Royal was

The same broadcast described the Ark Royal as "like a gigaritic torch; lighting up the rea" and it was said.

that when down broke the next day the Ark Royal had disappeared. leaving only a bugs pall of smoke to mark the smoke to mark the smoke where the conce had

still milout.

destroyed."

· Nazis Try To Explain

"Hongkong Telegraph")

You will remember that Nazi Leading-Aircraftman Francke' received promotion and the Iron Cross (1st and 2nd Class) for outstanding courage in the face of the enemy. He had "sunk" the British aircraft-carrier Ark Royal. Said Cooring. Said Goebbels. Said Hitler. And Die Wehrmacht, German news-magazine, illustrated the war's most extraordinary featthe Sinking of a Warship that is Still Afloat. "A 1,2001b. bomb hits the enemy vessel," it is headed, and the artist gives his "impression" of a direct hit ending the life of the Ark Royal. "All the attacking planes," of course, "returned. safely to their bases."

Willy makes -

money out of

WILLIAM PATRICK HIT-ER (Willy), Adolf's Britishborn nephew, who is touring the United States and making big money with a series of lectures on "What the German people" are thinking," sent a letter to a friend-in-London-recently,-andenclosed the prospectus of his

His agents, Harold R. Peat, of New York, say in their announcements that Willy Hitler "presents the start-ling story of the real Germany hidden by Nazi fictions."
Willy is the son of Adolf's half-

brother Alois, a Berlin restaurant-keeper. His mother is, Irish. He was educated in England, and went to live in Germany shortly after Hitler came to power in 1933. He and his mother went to the United

States last February, Adolf Relented

The announcements of his lecture tour say:—
"William Hitler has had stormy relations with his uncle. At first, for political reasons, Adolf Hitler denied that they were blood relatives.

"When William published articles family, Hitler summoned him and his father to his hotel, and in an hysterical interview threatened to kill himself if anything more was

"Hitler releated a little 'when William went to live in Germany." But Hitler became enraged when his nephew refused to obey com-mands, and at their final interview paced backwards and forwards, with horsehide whip in his hands,

threatening him. Willy's mother says that Adolf was known in the family as "a man with a blg mouth and a little hand."

Her son predicts that the Nazi

when he first met Willy's mother, a working hours. farmer's daughter. Three years after their wedding he deserted her at Liverpool, and married bigamously in Germany.

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### Nazis Short Of Men and Materials

NAZI shipbuilding yards engaged on the construction of U-boats are short of skilled labour and material.

The Stetlin yard, which is engaged exclusively on naval work, has had to increase working hours. Only in this way is the yard able to keep up its turn-over. The lack of skilled men

Krupps, too, according to reports from German sources, are experiencing the same difficulty. Another yard affected is the famous Blohm and Voss concern at Hamburg.

Ships Undelivered

At the outbreak of war there was a large number of ships under con-struction in German yards for foreign countries in exchange for frozen credits. Many of these vessels are still undelivered owing to the lack In a broadesst on Tuesday night, a Co-German station announced that Ger- E

Germany's claims that she can balance her submarine losses by new boats are vastly exaggerated. She also claims that in 1917 her U-boat output was one a day and that she expects to improve on that production.

In actual fact the production of German submarines in 1917 did not approach the figure they claim. For the whole of that year the number commissioned was only 87, varying between four and 12 per month.

Shipbuilding experts with whom I have discussed the question and who know the German yards intimately are convinced that the Nazis cannot possibly produce more than six Uboats each month under favourable conditions. And they are being sunk at that rate by the Allied navies.

#### 1,000,000 ldle Finance War

AMSTERDAM. HITLER'S much-vaunted at his father's request to correct plan of war finance cannot get going.

Though Germany has topublished concerning his family day more than 1,000,000 workless, skilled labour is

lacking everywhere. These 1,000,000 unemployed -official figures, naturally, do not admit the real total—are

not workers in heavy industry. They are employed in trades supplying the consumption goods employment in Germany. which have now been rationed. The Nazi regime had tried to cess: since the war the number of State cannot stand more than nine remedy the lack of skilled labour, Dutch workers in Germany has connot by transfers from the under- siderably decreased. Alois Hitler was a waiter in Dublin | employed trades, but by increasing

Overwork Strain

So disastrous was the effect on men nliendy worn down by wartime speeding-up and shortage of food that the shorter hours had to be re-

One glance at the death notices in the papers published in industrial towns shows to what tragic heights Warsaw on a charge of having defactory accidents are rising. As from January 1 onwards, there- to reports received here. fore, working hours may not exceed 10 a day unless special permission is

The Reich Labour Control Office is further to investigate whether the workers can stand even a 10-hour day on war rations.

Mr. Chamberlath on the caption: "Engiand underneath is the caption: "Engiand under und It is empowered to reduce them again if this proves to be necessary The girl student's execution was -and in any case overtime has to be described by the Germans as

pald after eight hours.

Night work for women, and youths

has been stopped altogether, their health was suffering so much. Many women, indeed, are trying to avoid war-time factory work altogether by getting married.

Matrimonial advertisements by women seeking husbands have increased so manzingly that in some newspapers there are whole pages of

All these circumstances are making the already existing shortage of skilled labour really critical.

Vigorous attempts have been made to recruit skilled Dutch workless for

But they have met with little suc-

#### Germans Execute Girl Student

· BUDAPEST. The Germans have imprisoned and executed a young girl student in faced anti-British posters, according

The posters depict war rules and wounded civilians, on one side and Mr. Chamberlain on the other.

example to others."

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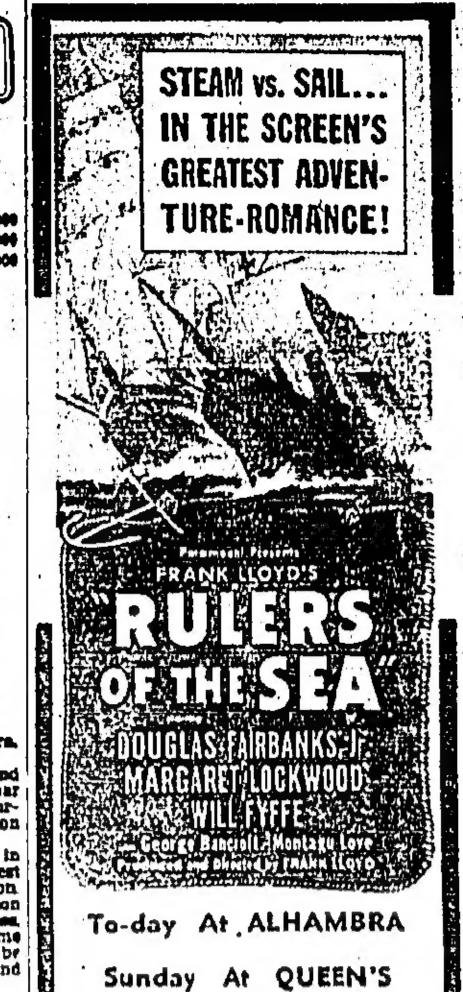
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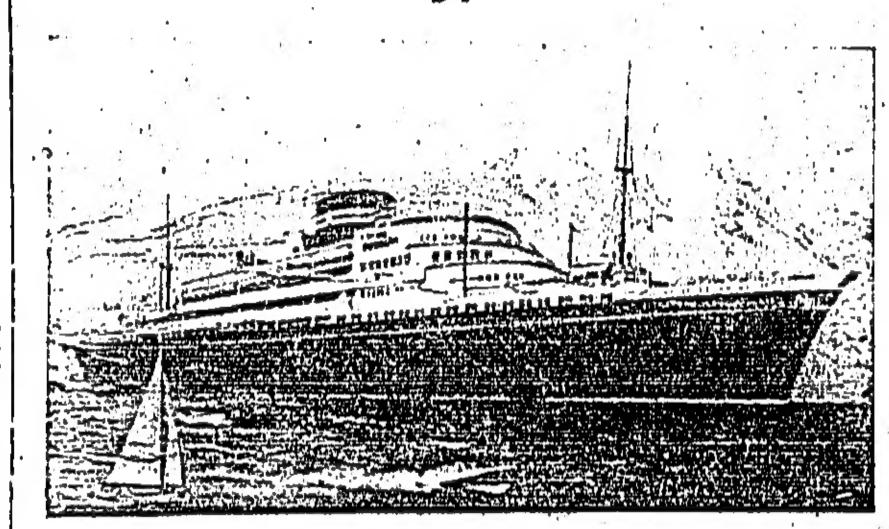
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But as it produces a winter crop of annoyance for so many we cannot afford to ignore it. " It is easy enough to say what a chilblain is, but it is by no means Remedies?

so easy to say, medically speaking, what causes it. Patches of skin at the leg, and even sometimes on the binins?

#### Theories

obly very close to the truth. A a wise step,

tion between chilblains and a pos- fish, eggs, milk and butter). culosis.

#### First Step

yet pinned down the actual cause, it (such as methyl salicylate continent is perhaps of even greater importis well known that certain conditions or jodes).

culny predisposition; any one of the akin is healed, ditions of health may have to be which car be done for the chronic benefit by a mineral tonic.

#### A.R.P. ORDERS NO. 1 Instructions by Director

For Coming Week

A.R.P. Orders by Wing-Commander A. H. S. Steele-Perkins, O.B.E., Director of

Air Haid Precautions: Resignation

The following resignation from Mr. P. M. Hoditson, Divisional Warden, Take 1-1b, of salt butter and 15 lb. A.R.P. Establishment is notified: Eastern Division, Hongkong. and mix the two-well together with your butter-pats, and you will find Telephonists

Fifty male English-speaking Chinese are needed to staff the ARP, Report Centres. Duties will consist of relaying Air Raid Damage Reports to the proper authorities. Names of volunteers should be forwarded to the A.R.P. Department, Lower Albert Road, Hongkong.

#### Training

Practical Course Examination,-The fotlowing Instructors qualified for L.A.R.P.S. Degree at van examination recently held:

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Forthcoming Lectures in Chinese for Wardens,-Chinese Chamber of Commerce. to a smooth paste with 1/2 teaspoon Conneumit Road. Hongkong, Wednesdays mustard and I tencup milk. Season and Saturdays at 7.30 p.m., commencing with pepper and a tiny ninch salt. January 0, Lecturer: Mr. Lai Do-man. School, Yes Woo Street, Cameway Bay-Tuesdays and Saturdays at 7.30 p.m. com-mencing January 6, Lecturer: Mr. Paul

The notice issued in Orders No. 15 dated December - 28, regarding students who passed an examination at the Central Fire Station is hereby cancelled and the follow-

Examination Results. - The following passed, a Special A.R.P. Fire Brigade Exnmination, recently held, as under:
Fire Brigade Instructors: Mr. Churig
Wing-kwong, Mr. Ng Hong-yat, Mr. Wong
Wai-tsol, Mr. Ki lu-woon and Mr. Wong

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#### Strength-Increase

The following having qualified are posted to the A.R.P. Establishment: Wardens.-Miss Yuen Lin-sheung, Chan Luen-po, Parist Yik-kay, So Hing-nam. Li Luen-po, Pang Yik-kay, So Hing-nam. Lil Wing, Miss Wong Yuk-yu, Yuen Hong-chal, Li Siu-tong, Leung Pul-kwan, Wong Sik-hung, Taang Tak-yu, Leung Slu-bun, Li Siu-cheong, Miss Lui Shi-kwan, Yeung Li Siu-cheong, Miss Lui Shi-kwan, Yeung chi, Taul Chuek-yu, Ngal Nam-heung, Heung Chun-pong, Tse Yiu-kwan, Ling Mo-yan, Au Kwang-chung, Chow Chung-in, Chan Sui-chuek, Muk Wai, Leung Moon-kwal, Wong Chee-bun, Miss Lau Chung-sang, Miss Luk Yun-foon, Leung Chi-wan, Lau Ying-yeung, Cheong Chung-previous highest figure being 1.348 in Chi-wan, Lau Ying-yeung, Cheong Chung-ying, Pak Lok-tin, Ho Hung-chu, Miss Tang Sau-man, Miss Wong Yuet-ping, Ng Bun-chuen, Wong Chik-chee, Miss Cheng Wal-ying, Miss Pun Fal-fun, Miss Tsang | times. Most of these launches and Shuk-yer, Hung Hau-kwok, Miss Ho Yuen- consequent rescues have been effect-han, Lam Ting-kwong, Yeung Tak-wah. ed during the war. Since Sentem-

# Anthony

ter cold and damp will spell exhibits recommend bandaging the legs (as cut leaf-shaped, or fillgreed gold balls tion rather than painful itchy masses in varicose veins) to help a rather

But what is the poor sufferer to do directly on the affected chilblains. certain areas (on the toes, the fingers right now who finds himself rubbling the sides of the feet, either side of and scratching at hot painful chil- Common Sense

There have been many theories, giving calcium works wonders in the prevention and cure of chil- chain. These, while being in the The popular notion that chilblains many cases. And so a visit to the blains might be grouped in the fol- most up-to-date tradition, have the are due to a poor circulation is prob- chemist for some calcium tablets is lowing list:

was blamed for the trouble for a half to one pint of milk daily (to eignifies, plenty of milk, fresh fruit From France come shell necklaces while, but recent research has secure a very easily assimilated and vegetables. proved, that in most cases no short- form of calcium) makes another. Sufficiently warm clothing to pre- the new outsize form. wise step. But it must be remem- vent sudden chilling at any time. Some scientists contend that the bered that for proper calcium ab- Warm and sufficiently loose stock- of-pearl the size and shape of the root of the matter ties in a delayed sorption we need Vitamin D, so look ings and gloves-the silk-stocking mussel are strung on a thick silk clotting power of the blood. And to your winter sources of this pre- wearer who has failed to discover the cord. In others the mother-of-pearl

sible predisposition towards tuber- Now the chilblain itself must be chilblains. attended to. If the skin is un- Adequate indoor-heating-parents broken the following makes an old should insist on some form of cen- of pearl, shells with small scarlet and useful remedy. Steep the tral heating in every school that can cowrie shells lying in them, and some A child or young person who is equal parts of hydrogen peroxide. Shoes with stout soles impervious pearl are interspersed with pearls and repentedly affected by chilblains (15 vols.) and boiling water for to cold and damp-this applies esa doctor as a first step towards re- Dry thoroughly and friction gently, slippers during school hours.

chilblains have a way of vanishing closs not stain) or with a paint of skating and eyeling. Friar's Balsam and menthol (which Sunlight-every possible ray

docrine imbalance (such as that the treatment lies in applying hot the early winter months. caused by a thyroid gland de- tydrogen peroxide compresses, fol- 'Avoidance of constipation, ficiency); anternia; chronic con- lowed by a soothing ointment spread. Winter tonics where necessarystipation; any mild kidney or heart on clean lint. And more vigorous the thin over-energetic child may condition, and, possibly, a luber- treatment may be tried later when need the fattening comfort of the

Economy

margarine. Add a little more salt,

of cking it out:-

efficacious method.

Thursday,

the case of over-fat and rather is made with pearls of deep rose. dullish adolescent girls) that thyroid The most fashionable necklaces, extract is called for. He may order however, are much more "barbarie"

feeble circulation in its work. And more than likely he will wish to give his patient a course of ultra-violet riny treatment, both generally and

manner to severe cold or dump. But that he can do: Let us take the about what we might call the com- brooch and ear-rings of blue daisies what makes them do this is another simple home measures first.

What makes them do this is another simple home measures first.

Although above we seem to have This is so bound up with the preCharming neeklaces a

shortage of calcium in the blood. A visit to a milk bar for an extra ample supply of vitamins—which boyant gold and gem jewellery.

French medical minds see a connec- cious vitamin (fish-liver oils, fatty cheap flesh-coloured woollen under- is cut in a fancy design, or is shaped stockings for winter deserves her like an oyster, with a tiny pearl fixed

ance than in summer. of ill-health are frequently found in - If this is carried out at night, the - Indoor and outdoor exercise-exassociation with chilblains, and if chilblain may be painted in the cellent "chilblain" exercises include these conditions; are removed, the morning with vasogen iodite (which skipping, tap-dancing ballet-dancing,

these or similar "below par" con- There is yet a tremendous amount plump, lazy dreamer may stand to

#### Hints For Butter For Pies And Cheese

WHERE there are growing boys never be at a loss for an appetising W and girls, the butter disappears lunch or supper dish. You can vary like magic. Here is an excellent way your fillings, and economy can be

"To "spin out" your margarine is also quite simple. Here is an

Take 1 dessertspoon cornflour and one breakfast cup milk. Break the cornflour down to a smooth paste. with the milk, then place both in pan, and bring slowly to the boil, soning, and stew till tender. Lay instirring all the time. When cold, in dish, alternating meat with thinly cream the margarine with a wooden spoon and slowly stir in comflour mixture. Later make into pats.

Cheese Paste Here is a good way of making !!

Cut 1/4 lb. cheese into small pieces. Break down 1 dessertspoon cornflour Bring all slowly to the boil, and boil rather rich crust and bake till golden with pepper and a tiny pinch salt 12 minutes. Pour into small jar.

When cold spread on bread or toast instead of butter.

# Saved

The exceptionally heavy demands made upon the services of the Royal National Lifeboat Institution during the past four months owing to the brutal and indiscriminate use of mines and torpedoes by Germany are mines and torpedoes by Germany are problemed to a rich brown. reflected in a review published today of the year's work of this great

voluntary society. Low Hon. Li Chiu-yuen, Law Kwan-chick, Ho Chiu-fong, Law Pul-sang, Cheng ber 2 boats here been out 411 times wat-hee, Chui Pel-lak, Miss Ng Fook-yu. and have rescued 1,101 persons, an Chiu Kwan-yuk and Miss Law In-form. Twenty-four medals for gallantry

should be thoroughly overhauled by from 5 to 10 minutes once a day, pecially to children who change into covery. For although we have not Then apply a stimulating ointment Fresh air-ventilation in winter

Under-nourishment; any source of can be purchased at any chemist's), natural sunshine should be absorbed chronic infection (such as septic. Of course, it is quite a different during the summer, and perhaps a fonsils, decayed teeth, etc.); en- znatter if the skin is broken. Then course of sun-ray treatment taken in

good old cod-liver oil, whereas the

## Savoury Filling

making a pic-crust you need required. exing out meat and fish with odds

ther, but also make your ple more lemon.

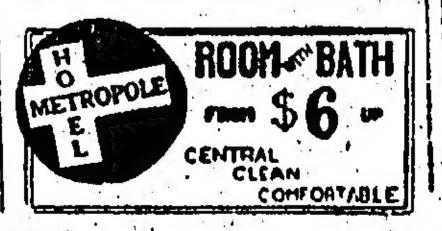
require one pound of stewing steak, cress or lettuce leaves. a large raw potato, two tomatoes and seasoning. Trim the steak, cut it up, roll the pieces well in flour and seain dish, alternating meat with thinly sliced potato and tomato. Pour in the gravy, cover when cool with a nice crust, and bake for an hour in a moderate oven.

Fish and egg pie-One pound of cooked cod, two hard-boiled eggs, two boiled polatoes, some thick white sauce, a pinch of mace, pepper, and salt. Bone the fish, line a wellbuttered dish with potato slices, on that fish, sliced eggs and sauce; repeat till the dish is full. Cover with a

Liver and bacon pie-One pound of liver, several slices of bacon, some good dripping, mashed potatoes and one onion. Grense a pie-dish, put in thinly-sliced liver, finely chopped onion, some potato and seasoning. Dot with bits of dripping, repeat the layers, and bake three-quarters of an hour. Then make a crust with mashed potato, a little flour and drip-

ping, cover and brown. Swiss ple-A pound of cooked veal, two ounces each of cooked vermicelli and cold ham, a little grated cheese, some white sauce, salt,

were awarded during the year to members of lifeboat crews. The Institution put into service 17 new motor lifebouts and there are now 145 of these and 15 sailing lifeboats stationed round British and Irish contsts.-British Wireless.



### New Necklaces

NECKLACES are to be short, henvy, and elaborate this season. Plain bends seem to have gone out of favour with the exception of pearls, and these are not worn in

single strings. When seed pearls are used some necklaces are made up of as many as six rows. Where larger pearls are sufferer—but, as I said before, a visit to the doctor is the wise prelude.

The doctor may decide to hasten the calcium treatment by a short course of "colloidal calcium" injections. Where larger pears are considered sufficient. Pink is the favourite colour, and often one necklace will have three shades, the top row being three shades. tions. He may decide (especially in coming deeper until the bottom row

tackled strenuously before hoping to a course of galvanie hand or foot than these. Heavy gold chains have put the blood stream and its vessels baths. In feet or leg chilblains he may and flowers, small, that gold plates

Jewellery sets comprising necklace, bracelet, brooch, and ear-rings in gold thickly loaded with pearls or enamelled flowers are also popular. One set seen recently was decorated with large, smoky pearls set in the form of bunches of grapes; while in another the necklace and bracelel consisted of four rows of small blue the leg, and even construction of the considerable amount. So far I have not said a word daisies set on gold links, with a cars) react in a highly exaggerated. There is a considerable amount. So far I have not said a word daisies set on gold links, with a

Charming neeklaces and bracelets turned down the theory of calcium vention of chilblains that I wanted are also made of exidised metal there is no doubt whatever that The essential factor making for design, strung together on a thin giving calcium works wonders in the prevention and ours of still. advantage of being more easily worn A full varied winter diet with an by some people than the more flam-

In some of these pieces of mother-

There are some necklaces made up

Small pearl-tinted periwinkle shells form other necklaces.

### House Hints

INO remove mould from furniture, sponge until clear. Wipe dry, and polish quickly with a rag moistened with polish to which oil of lavender has been added. To clean a soiled clothes line, wrat

it round a washboard, and scrub with soap and water. Rinse under the tap and dry out of doors, Stiff paint brushes will again become pliable if soaked bristle-deep in vinegar that, is heated almost to boil-

ing point. hats, first dissolve one dessertspoon- dipped in fine salt. ful of table salt in half-pint cold water. Add one teaspoonful each of vinegar, methylated spirit, ammonia, should always be used for bronze and gum water, and mix taproughly and chromium. together. Pour into a bottle and TF you have learnt the knack of cork tightly, and use this solution as

PRUNE SALAD

B, M.



TOHE taste of burnt milk can be re-L moved by adding to the milk whilst still hot a pinch of salt and a pinch of easter sugar. If a small piece of washing soda is added to the blue water when

washing clothes there will be no more streaky marks. To shine shoes quickly do not brown or blacken. Rub over with a into a pint of boiling water and piece of orange, let the juice dry on, For dirty marks on distempered walls, make a paste of fuller's earth and water. Spread it well over the

stains and leave to dry. Remove with a coarse flannel cloth. Medicine stains on silver spoons should be rubbed off with methylated spirit. Afterwards wash the spoons

in hot soapy water. Marks caused by hard water on white porcelain baths can be re-To renovate winter dresses and moved by rubbing with a cut lemon

Olive oil is a safe and suitable medium for pollshing and cleaning fall sorts, of oxydised metals and

### G. G. T. Liver And Spaghetti

INRY a large, chopped onlon with DRUNE salad makes a delicious ac- 1 ib. liver cut into thin slices, I companiment to cold ment dishes, toss them in seasoned flour and fry

and ends from the larder.

Soak ½ lb, prunes overnight in ½ the liver till nicely browned.

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Then piace all in-n-pie-dish and in the water in which they have season with chopped parsley and been soaked with the addition of ½ more salt and pepper if necessary. the mixture a very good and cheap will not only make a filling go far- oz. sugar and the juice of half a Add 1 cupful sliced tomatoes and When tender, pass the prunes Cook 4 ozs, spagnetti in boiling Here are some recipes for savoury through a sieve and pile the purce salted water till tender. Drain it in a dish Sprinkle with chopped and spread over the liver, sprinkle To make steak and potato ple you almonds and surround with water- with grated cheese and return to the

This Winter's

fashions hark back

to the Edwardian

era, revived in

the hourglass

silhouette.

Here it is

embodled in this

black crepe dress

and the black

suede sandals,

hugging the feet

clear up to the

carries a rich

silver fox.

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of the same fur. A lovely black

suede bag is

also in hourglass

motif.

The antelope

gloves are in a

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## Crossword Puzzle

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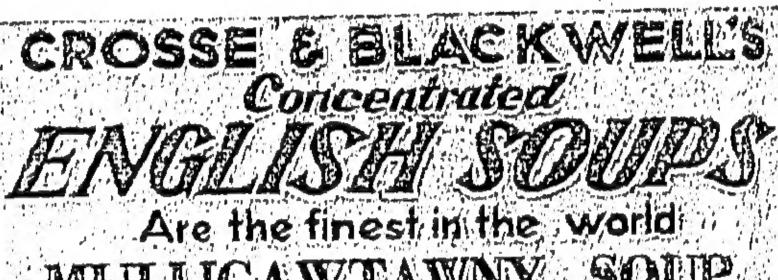
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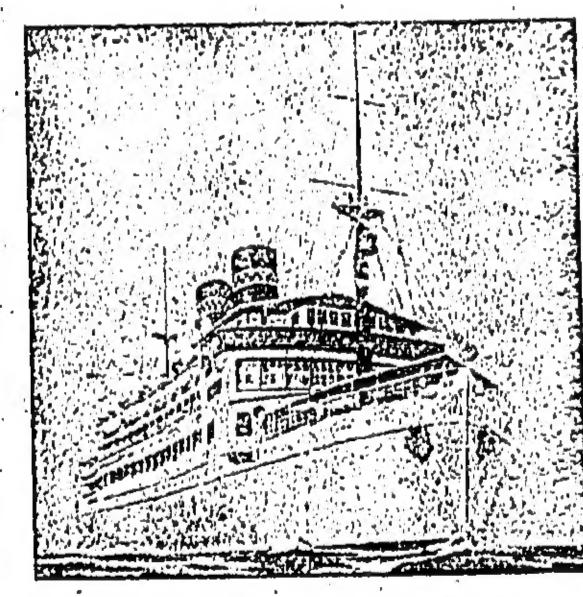
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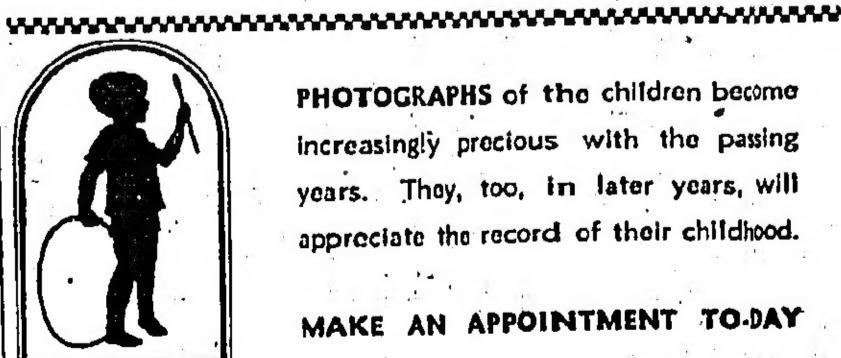
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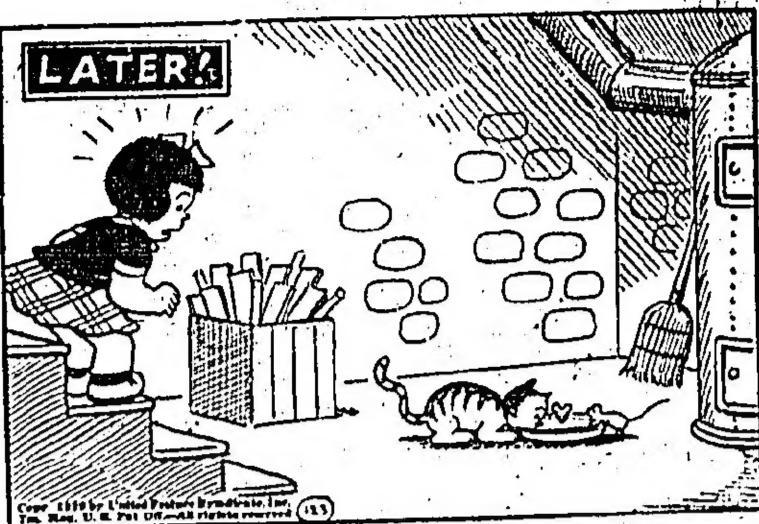
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# HIMSELF

A GERMAN flying officer brought down in the North Sea during a raid on Britain is believed to have committed suicide rather than endure any longer the misery of long exposure in the water.

His was one of two airmen's bodies washed up in Norlolk, one at Happisburgh, the other at Mundesley, seven miles away. Both had been in the water about three days.

The body at Mundesley, which was in an inflated life jacket; had a bullet wound in the temple. As there was also an empty revolver holster it is thought probable the man shot himself.

The body at Happisburgh had bullet wounds in the eye and leg. These were probably received during an air engagement, for an automatic pistol was in the dead man's pocket. It would have been impos-sible for him to replace this after turning it on himself.

HITLER

## rears Gestapo

AMONG the 'millions who listen-in to "Big-Hearted" Arthur Askey when he makes his cracks at "Old Nasty," there is one who does not laugh any more. She is Mrs. Askey.

All last week Big's wife was beseeching him to "lay-off" Hit-

"It's because the missus loves me a lot," he said. "She's got the idea that Hitler has branded me as his Public Enemy No. 1 and will get his Gestape to bump me off in the black-out.

The King, through his Comp-Askey's parocy of Run, Rabbit, Run, It has been supplied by the B.B.C.

## PLANES

NEW YORK.

SUPER - WARPLANES are made available to France and England through the American War Department's relaxation of their rigid ban on the export of new types of aircraft.

U.S. designers in Los Angeles, centre of the industry, declared that they are now free to sell fighters which will travel at 460 miles an hour or more, and bombers with a speed and range greater than any foreign bomber now in the air.

Most important is Lockheed's secret twinengined interceptor which has flown across the American continent at a top speed of 460 miles an hour, and which its makers claim can go even faster.

#### ROYAL DAK SURVIVOR MARRIED

Lieut. M. H Benton, R.N., survivor of the Royal Oak, with his bride, aliss after their weddimer at St. Cabriel's, Warwickquare, S.W.

# TEIREAT: 1066 (all hat) AGAIN

Other types now free for export include:-

A bullet-nosed low-wing pursuit plane, developed by Vultee, which manoeuvres at speeds ranging from 360 to more than 400 miles an hour.

A medium-sized bomber by Douglas, which is claimed to be the fastest bomber in the air. Douglas still refuse to release details of the performance of this plane; and

An attack bomber-also by Douglas-which is claimed to be 20 per cent, better than any European

#### Sacrat Records

The Douglas Company are now working on a single-engined dive bomber which is said to have broken all performance records in closely guarded secret tests at their factory. Lockheed's twin-engined plane, the Y8-38, was so striking in its potentinuities that the U.S. Army Air Corps placed a two million pounds order for the model before its tests were

Through the co-operation of the American High Command all these planes and three other secret models will be made available to Allied purchasers. All are ready to be built

## Some of These Sailors Hongkong

THE British destroyer Duchess after the Japanese had placed booms in any quantity to order. across the river. ly impracticable supports the belief sheltered by both sides. One could was lost with 120 lives. Only that Hitler's new tactic is to scare also create diversion to draw the one officer and 22 ratings are known to have escaped.

This was announced in an Ad- follows: miralty communique, which stated that the Duchess had been in collision with another vessel of the Fleet, which was undamaged.

H.M.S. Duchess, commanded by are landed by parachute. They Lieut.-Commander R. C. H. White, was a destroyer of the "Defender" class, built under the 1930 programme, and had a displacement of 1,375 tons. Her normal complement was 145.

Two ratings had been left behind at the last port of call for medical treatment.

Eight Torpedo Tubes

The Duchess carried four 4.7-inch guns, six smaller guns, and eight 21-

She was built at Palmer's Yard, Jarrow, and completed in January,

Her 36,000 horse power engines gave her a speed of 35.5 knots. lost since war began. The others, lision:the Blanche and the Glpsy, were both sunk by mines within a week Passmore, G. (Ord. Seaman).

lust month off the British coast.

The Duchess figured in a number longing to the 21st Destroyer Flotilla.

steamer collided with her.

the scene and the Rangura was allowed to proceed.

AND FRANCE? Well here's n true

. story that come in. The 120,000 French' people Inn Fraser, Daily Express correspon- Nancy, which lies only an hour's Mnurice Nicolet, aged 9. 2. The Fuchrer's mysterious daily dent in Basic, says that when tele- drive behind the Maginot Line, were talks with his war staff concern plane phone communication between Swit- told that evacuation plans were ment; night Swiss soldiers on holiday How many do you think took advantage of the offer?

Names Of Survivors Names of survivors are given as

J. R. Pritchard, R.N.V.R. Ratings: Adams, Jack (A.B.) Cogger, Donald W. (Chief Petty Officer); Crownll, Charles (A.B.); Crowther, George (Stoker 1st class); Dodds, John E. (Ord. Seaman); Durling, Alfred H. (Lead. Seaman); Hale, Kenneth R. (A.B.); Harris, G-coffrey (A.B.); Jenkins, Ivan E. (A.B.); Lawrence, Charles (H. (A.B.); Lowthorpe, John E. (A.B.); McHardy, Robert Seaman); Rateliffe, Trever (A.B.); Great War. Robertson, William (A.B.); Thur-Smith, Alfred (A.B.); Swinhow,

Officer: Probationary Lieutenant

Ernest (Ord. Scaman); Willy, John | the Great War. A. (Chief Stoker). The following two ratings were

### Army's Health "Satisfactory"

In the report on the health of the British Army for the year 1937, issued recently, it is stated that the general health of the troops during the year under review has been most satisfactory.

There was a decrease in the rate of admission to hospital of 14.1 a thousand, compared with the previous (Lead, Seamon); Merry, Charles year, and the admission rate was R. (A.B.): Moir, Harry (Lead. only 21.5 a thousand higher than that Seaman); Proctor, Walter R. (Ord. of 1935, the lowest recorded since the

The death ratio of 1.97 a thousand, ley, Clarence (Telegraphist); Too- and the ratio of 6.80 a thousand for tel, Thomas (Stoker Petty Officer); Invalids discharged from the Service bre the lowest ever recorded since

The number of officers admitted to hospital shows an admission ratio of left ashore for medical treatment at 187.3 a thousand of the strength comthe ship's last port of call and were pared with 220.4 a thousand in 1936 The Duchess is the third destroyer not on board at the time of the col- and 197.8 in 1935. The deaths were 2.15 a thousand of the strength com-Anderson, R. (Petty Officer); pared with 5.43 a thousand in 1936 and 3.37 in 1935.

## Mile 6,000

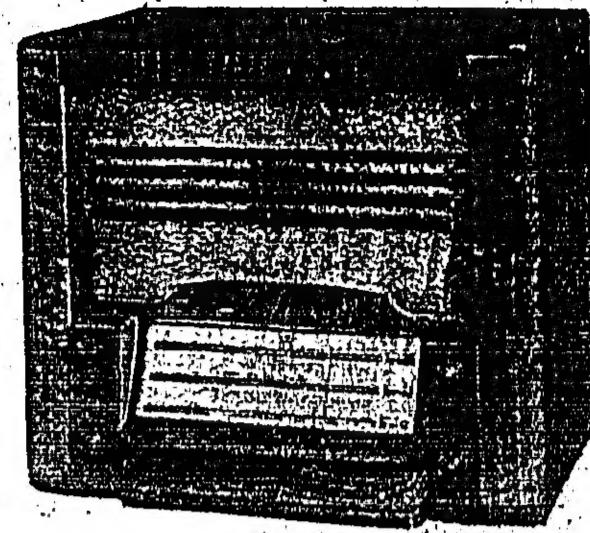
CANADIAN Mounted Police, guided by a rough Last May, after a Japanese map, made by a man 6,000 miles away, discovered the liner Ranpura, the Duchess went to bones of a murdered boy on the Grand Prairie Trail. On September 21, 1035, Maurico

.This find was mentioned when I Nicolet vanished. Then, in June, she was reported to a Swiss woman, Mrs. Schupbach, Three months Inter the Schupbachs packed up and returned to Switzerbe "blockeded" with another de- was sentenced at Bienne, near

stroyer, H.M.S.-Daring, at Foochow, Berne, to 80 years' juil. In November, 1037, Schupbach was She pleaded gullty to murdering arrested on charges concerning his her wealthy first husband, Paul stepdaughter. The body of Mrs. Schupbach's first : Her second husband, Ernst Schuphusband was exhumed. Cyanide was buch, was charged as an accomplice,

found in it, says the British United of and also with murdering his stepson, The Swiss asked the Canadian He was sentenced to life imprison-Mounted Police to Investigate the death of Maurice. The map which Mr. and Mrs. Schupbach, with guided them to the boy's bones was Mourice Nicolot, arrived on a farm stated at the trial to have been in Alberta, Canada, from Switzersketched by Schupbach himself. land in-1935,-

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EVERYWHERE

German Navy through a lane of German mines to England and to land on her coasts the first foreign army since William the Conqueror did the trick in Nazi suicide squr is would Recently the Deutsche Wehr, journal

By CHARLES FOLEY

of Europe. It is a block-curdling threat to send the

HITLER throws his fast card on the poker table

float down by parach the to seize of the fighting forces, gave some idea of how it might be done—on paper. England's power stations. Goering's nir squadrone avould pound London to the de A.

shouted to the Reichstag, "There are rows of mines, by submarine flotillus no more islands now."

Britain into peace. When this move fails-the big other sector." attack cannot long be delayed. German divisions are massed at war strength from the North Sea to Switzerland-along 760 miles of Ger-

man frontier. Where will the blow fail?.

titude to adopt:-

possible to-day we must be ready way carrying heavier arms. for anything-and we must not be surprised if nothing happens." The military correspondent suggests that German troop movements may be intended for the present to

try our nerves, but-"There is one very sinister feature this time. The troop moves come at "The attacker would, of course, a time when Germany is charging time the enterprise to coincide with inch torpedo tubes. Belgium with unneutral conduct. other operations especially mass air And the place where the concentration is most intense-except on the French front-is on the Dutch fron-

"This may mean that Brauchitsch (German Commander-in-Chief) intends to put into practice the old pre-1914 plan of invading Belgium through the Maestricht Appendix (that strip of Holland that juts down between Belgium and Germany) and so turning the Belgian frontier forti-

quarters are at Godesberg on the neighbours are not to be deluded of incidents in Chinese waters—the Rhine bodes no good for Belgium again. They believe the thrust will August Navy List gave her as be-

and Holland. makes . in immediate attack less attack will fall on Holland. One likely. This is that there are at pre- reason for this is that all German Hongkong she was damaged above sent fewer troops in the north than gold deposits in Holland have been the water-line when a Japanese on the Saar. If a big attack on the withdrawn and sent to Denmark. Low Countries were staged the op-

posite would be the case." Hitler's grandlose plan for the invasion of England-Napoleon was The Dutch reckon that the Belglans bitten by the same germ nearly 140 will catch it instead. years ago, but he never got mearer Geoffrey Cox, Daily Express. Staff; then collecting his men on , the Reporter in Amsterdam, cannot con-

tral journalists in Berlin. Selkirk Panton, Daily Express staff frontier. reporter in Copenhagen, says that And the Dutch Government state German frontier—is packed with Danish reporters were treated to the with official biltheness that there is troops and prepared for any move. nows that-

"It Hitler is massing a great army land." and a fleet in north-west: German

The idea of invading Britain is not hurrledly returned to report,

—A - Diversion "Britain's 'superior navy,' " said

Here is a notion that makes an the article, "might well be met by surgent appeal to the man who the attackers own fleet, by prepared and so on. In fact, the line of at-And the fact that the plan is wild- lack might be along a sort of lane main, weight of naval defence to an-

Then comes the method surprise attack-mass landing by parachute.

"An advance detachment of stormtroops and engineers, lightly armed, The Daily Express military correst draw a cordon round the chosen pondent says there is only one al- place of attack; they block all roads and railways leading to it. Rein-With the rapidity of movement forcements are dropped in the same

> "The third 'wave' brings a greater number of troops with light turnks and flame throwers in large transport planes, which land. Once a footbold is gained the success of the invasion depends on skill and offensive surge. After that a significant footnote:

Note the expression "of course." Because the important German 'newspaper' Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, declared that England could only be crushed in the same way as the Romans crushed

Carthaginians-"by destroying the enemy's capital." Altogether the attack direct on England sheds a fascinating sidelight in China incidents on German wish-thinking-cum-pro-"The report that German head- paganda. But Germany's neutral

come elsewhere. "On the other hand, one fact BELGIUM believes that the first China.

> Dutch Happy HOLLAND is not really worried.

French const—was confided to neu- firm those reports of heavy German troop concentrations on the Dutch

no sign of a German threat to Hol-SWITZERLAND is a little nervous.

to deposit an overwhelming force in zerland and Germany was cut last rendy, if they wished to leave. Basic itself-it lies on the French- Just fifty-seven.

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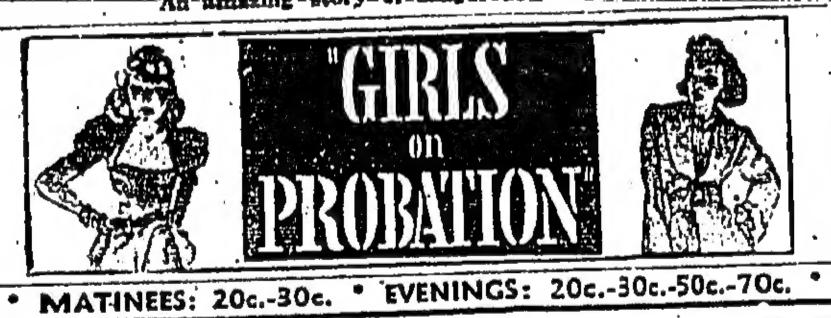
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# Belfort Gap

## PREPARING SURPRISE FOR NAZIS

.. By DAVID SCOTT

News Chronicle War Correspondent with the French Forces

FRANCE.

French major, who had served long

they were splendid troops.

southwards with a laugh.

hear in these parts."

years in North Africa, told me that

As I watched the Moors at work

the peace of this green countryside

was suddenly broken by loud volleys

of machine-gun fire, but the Arab

soldiers took no notice, their com-

manding officer jerked his head

IF Hitler and his generals should think of trying to turn the Maginot Line by an attack through Switzerland, severe shocks await them.

During the last few days I have seen the French defences along the Rhine from Basle to a point half-way down to Strasbourg, opposite the crucial point of Basle it self and along the Jura mountain range which, flanks the French-Swiss frontier between Basle and Geneva.

I can certify that any attempt to push westward from Busle, through what is commonly known as the Belfort Gap, or through the Rhone Valley past Geneva towards Lyons, will find the French defences as strong and the French Army as ready to meet it as in any other sector between the Alps and the English Channel.

Along the Rhine itself the Maginot The last section of this line is held system has long been prepared to and is being daily strengthened by resist a German offensive. This Moorish troops—a sure sign that part of the famous line is less cia- this is a vital sector, borate than the defences between the I saw these Arab cavalrymen, with Rhine and the Mosetle, chiefly be- nothing to distinguish them from cause the ground, lying at a lower French soldiers now except their level than the Rhine itself, behind its dark faces and tight khaki turbans the quality of their work is sufferhigh embankments, is swampy and often worn under a steel helmet, ing. deep digging is useless.

Strong Forts

Any elaborate tunnels here would be constantly flooded or would need an impossibly complicated pumping ing. system to keep them dry, but this flat ground can be as well defended by numerous powerful blockhouses, each a small fort in itself, whose machine-guns and anti-tank guns sweep the intervening spaces.

In an anonymous village on the Rhine bank, formerly a meeting place for French and Germans, I found contact with the enemy opposite more close and the atmosphere of profound peace more unbroken than at any other point in this strange theatre of "war."

As usual we drove up to within a few hundred yards of the front line between the trees.

Wthin Yards Of Enemy

As usual, we walked without any attempt at concealment along a path between the thickets on the river bank, through a wooden shed, whose far side stood open towards Germany and finally to a spot on the towpath where only 150 yards of rushing muddy water at a similar towpath opposite separated us from |. the German Army.

pushing a way through queer cooked, three and a half feathery grasses and thorn bushes ounces a week. ries, we found ourselves in a block- The maximum retail prices house on the river's bank. This was range from 1s 2d to 2s 1d machine guns in its loopholes and according to cuts. machine rifles ready to fire through the slits in its observation turret.

Anti-Tank Guns

Inside the fort were white enamelled, walls neat ammunition racks, firing charts, and apple-pie order everywhere. A communication Here and in a bigger blockhouse culated on the basis of one-sixth of trench had been dug to the back. (with pati-tank guns as well as an ounce of butter and one-seventh machine-guns) farther back from of an ounce of sugar per meat served, the river, a highly-trained crew including afternoon tea, for which no waited with tremendous confidence butter was allowed during the last, to shatter an enemy attack or hold war. out in the fort, if need be to the

Between the southern end of the Vosges mountains and the Jura range, which follow the Swiss fron-tier, is a wide space of open country known geographically as the Belfort

This opening in the natural ram-parts of France has always tempted invaders and has often been successfully held against them.

Lion As Symbol

In the war of 1870 the Prussians entered Paris, but failed to take Belfort, whose farmous Lion, hewn in the red rock of the citadel, symbolises the valour of its de-

To-day, the Belfort Gap is closed not only by Vauban's immense but obsolete fortifications, but by piles of barbed wire, scores of blockhouses on the Maginot model, and a great belt of steel defences built between that and the Rhine since this war

French soldiers and engineers have made great use of the long respite given them by Nazi hesitation. Through these weeks they have worked Lard to make the plain of Alsace and the Belfort Gap impassa-

Every day that passes makes their success more certain now.

Coloured Troops Work

All along the eastward escarpment of the Vosges and right down to the outskirts of Basic itself, where the Swiss frontier is marked every 50 yards by boards painted in the Swiss colours, a zone of steel fortifications miles deep, including innumerable tank traps and newly made concrete blockhouses and backed by the original Maginot system, burs the way to an invader.

# BUILDING

By A Naval Correspondent THE Nazl's-U-boat plan is

getting out of genr." Before the war began Hitler's naval experts assured him that there would always be enough U-boats to make it impossible for Britain to receive sufficient food from abroad.

Two things have gone wrong with

(1) The German shipbuilding yards are short of skilled labour and material:

(2) Britain and France are sinking U-boats much faster than Admiral Raeder believed possible. The Stettin yard, engaged exclusively on naval work, cannot find

enough skilled men. To keep up its

rate of production it has had to increase working hours. The workers are grumbling-and

Krupps and some of the Hamburg digging at the hillside, shovelling yards are also affected.

concrete into wooden moulds, wheeling barrows full of earth and some-British naval experts laugh at the times accompanying these simple Nazi claim that she can balance her activities with wild, Oriental sing-U-boat losses by the building of new Their commander, as grey-halfed boats.

1917, when she had munny more raw materials to draw on, Germany put only 87 submarines into commission. Shipbuilding experts here de-

clare that the Nezis cannot produce more than six U-houts each month. At least 40 U-hoats are believed to

"That is the Swiss," he said, "they have been sunk since the war bedo a lot of practice. That and our gan. So, month by month, Hitler's anti-aircraft guns on fine days, are about the only sounds of war you U-boat fleet is getting smaller and smaller.

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LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—The Ministry of Food announces that the ration for uncooked bacon and harn A-few-hundred\_yards\_away, after beginning on January 8 will be four ounces, and that for

The Food Ministry states that it is proposed experimentally to allow eatering establishments to serve bacon and ham without surrender of coupons, provided they are consumed on the premises.

How It is Calculated Supplies of butter and sugar to the catering establishments will be cal-

The arrangements apply to all places of refreshment open to the public, including clubs and canteens.

SWEDISH SHIP

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).-A 5,000 ton Swedish steamer in the Atlantic has sent out an S.O.S. stating that she is under fire from a German submarine and that she is now sinking.

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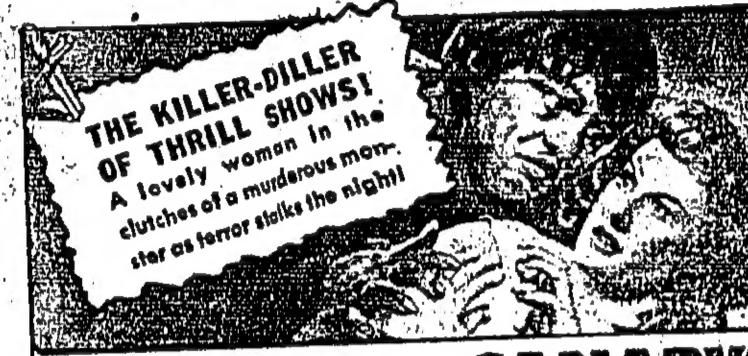


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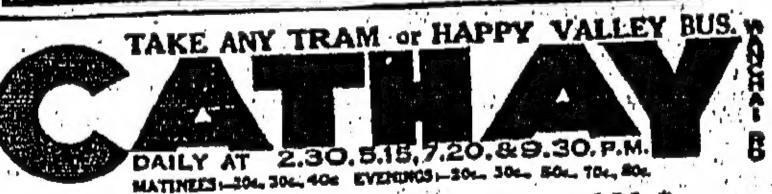


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a letter to Mr. William Bank-

head, Speaker of the House of

the appropriation would sup-

plement the funds previously

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ments of War, Navy, Justice

NAVY PRECAUTIONS

(Reuter) .- Mr. Charles Edi-

son, Acting Secretary of the

U.S. Navy, has asked Congress

-to-empower-President--Roose--

velt, "should a national emer-

gency arise," to procure ships

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n meeting of the People's Party of the

Parliamentary Group on Tuesday

The Foreign Minister addressed the

meeting in a two-hour speech.

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WASHINGTON, 'Jan. 3

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Mr. Roosevelt explains that

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Representatives.

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# OUR BUSINESS?

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

WASHINGTON, JAN. 3 (UP).—PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT THIS AFTERNOON DELIVERED WHAT WAS, IF HE DOES NOT BREAK PRECEDENT BY SEEKING RE-ELECTION FOR THE THIRD TIME, HIS PENULTIMATE ANNUAL MESSAGE TO CONGRESS.

THE UNITED STATES, HE DECLARED, WILL KEEP OUT OF WAR.

"An overwhelming majority of Americans have not abandoned the hope and expectation that the United States will not become involved in the European War in a military sense." he said.

"But there is a vast difference from keeping out of war and pretending that this war is none of our business.

"We don't have to go to war. But at least we can arrive with other nations to encourage the kind of peace that will lighten the troub.es of the world.

#### and Coast Guards for the current fiscal year ending June 30, ACTION FOR PEACE

"The United States must be an active and nowerful influence in secking the re-establishment of peace.

"The war in Europe arose from mismanagement of social and economic forces, causing a revolution against dictatorship.

"We must continue our preparations, and I urge substantial defence appropriations, based not on panic but on common-sense."

move in a letter to Congress | The President enumerated the increased taxes which he recommended for national defence.

Wilson was granted similar Practically all the Government's expenses, with the exception of those for national defence would be reduced in 1941, he forecast, but added the warning that the problem of the unemployed still remained unsolved. that the United States will be

"Our programme of social improvement must be carried on to preserve the gains we have already made and to provide jobs and a living wage for the unemployed.

#### DICTATORS v. DEMOCRACY

"I ask all Americans to look ahead and see the first possibilities for our children in a world, the rest of which is dominated by concentrated force alone.

"I ask Americans to envisage the second effect on our future if the small nations of the world are shorn of their independence by military systems. "I ask Americans to see ahead the kind of lives our children

will lead if much of the rest of the world is compelled to worship LONDON, Jan. 3 (British Wireless). — The commentator a god imposed by military rule or is forbidden to worship at all, facetiously known as "Lord or is deceived of true news.

"I ask Americans to see the fourth effect on our future if Haw! owing to his mannerisms, who nightly addresses the Eng- world trade is controlled by military force by any nation or any lish public from the German group of nations.

"Modern man can no longer live a civilised life if we are to ments on affairs are mainly go back to the practice of wars and conquests of the seventeenth distinguished by gretesque mist and eighteenth centuries.

"When the time comes, the representations, last night made himself responsible for the fol- United States must use its lowing observation: United States must use its influence to open the trade "Sabotage in Czecho-Slovak fac- channels of the world, in order tories is due to the evil influence of that no nations will need feel British Boy Scouts. This is the con-clusion of Yugo-Slav observers, which is being freely mentioned in Belgrade. by force of arms what can well "They point out that companies be gained by peaceful conferof these alleged Boy Scouts were ac- ence.

customed to camp in the areas where "I emphasise the leadership which advantage of the opportunity to this nation can take when the time Mr. Eamon de Valera has made sprend anti-German feeling among comes for a renewal of world peace. representations to the British weakened if this Government be sentences of death passed on comes the dog in the manger of trade December 14 on two Irishmen. soifishness.

#### No Alliances

"I re-commit myself to the policy of no entangling alliances for my country.

"But I must add the warning that it becomes clearer and clearer that the future world will be a shabby adopted a resolution urging Mr. de and a dangerous place in which to Valera to request commutation of live—even for Armericans to live in the sentences to penal servitude for PLEASE Turn To Page 5. 11fe.

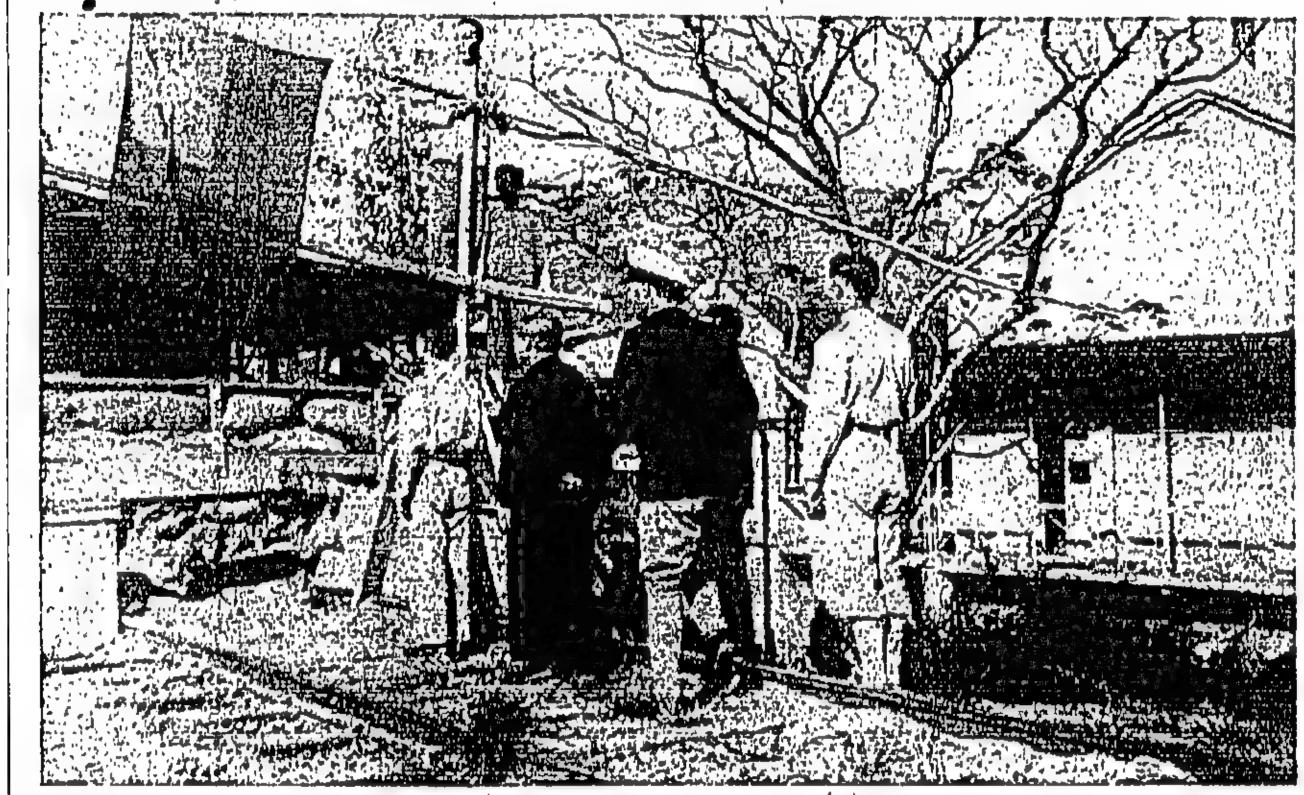
Death Sentence On I.R.A. Murderers

LONDON, Jan. 8 (Reuter).-"Such influence will be greatly Government with regard to the

They were found guilty of imurdering a girl, one of five victims of nn explosion at Coventry on August

This is disclosed in a letter from Mr. do Valera, read at a meeting today in Daleton, County Cork Urban Council, which had previously

### Chinese Flag Re-Hoisted At Shumchun



SHUCHUN, Hongkong border city which has been in the hands of the Japanese, has been re-entered by Chinese troops. Photograph shows Chinese standing to attention as the national flag is hoisted.

#### FINNISH WAR

### DEFENDERS MAINTAIN OFFENSIVE

#### Russians Hard Pressed In Arctic Regions

HELSINGFORS, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—The weather in Southern Finland cleared to-day and, tak-Hango. The extent of the damnge is not yet known.

the Mannerheim Line, but between Lake Ladoga and the Polar front, one Russian division has been surrounded and is desperately trying to fight its way

Reports of a Russian retreat to-wards Petsamo continue to come in, and there seems little doubt that the Finns have the initiative in this area. Neutral observers state that the Finns are in a better strategic position to-day than they have been at any time since the Soviet invasion began. At any point, indeed, operations are being carried out on Russian Since the beginning of the war, the

Finnish news agency reports, Soviets have lost 400 tanks and 150

#### Attack Repulsed

HELSINGFORS, Jan. 3 (Reuter). the Soviets have bunched a flerce infantry attack) after artillery preparation on the Talpale River. The Finns repulsed the attack with great loss to the Russians.

At Aittnjoki, the Finns destroyed a Russian company supported by machine guns. (\* ) ... On the Suomumalmi front, near Rastl, the Finns destroyed five Russinn tanks and two armoured cars. ... In the Juntumenta sector, the

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River, Kokkojaeryk v. d. ...



THIS IS WHAT HAS HAPPENED to Hongkong's only rail connection ing advantage of this, Soviet with the outside world. Across the border from Lowu, miles of rallway aircraft bombed the port of track have disappeared, torn up by Chinese guerillas in order to prevent the line being used by the Japanese.

#### There is little fighting around the Mannerheim Line, but be-New Build Steamers

THE "TELEGRAPH" understands that the British Government is shortly placing orders in the Colony for the building of a number of cargo ships. The number is not yet definitely stated, but it is believed that, for a beginning, four ships will be ordered, shared evenly by the Taikoo and Kowloon

Dockyards.::

projected vessels has not been announced, but it is understood that they will be slightly smaller than the Breconshire and the Glenorchy, leaving to those ships -To-day's communique states that the homour of being the biggest vessels yet built in Hongkong.

> They will represent a truly Imperial pindertaking, for Britain will provide the orders, Australia steel, and Hougkong the labour. Steel plates and rods have poured tral Magistracy this morning. from the holds of ships recently arrived from Australia.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8, (Reuter). Chul-lam. Finns reached the left bank of the It is learned on high authority that The accident is alleged to have the Attorney General, Mr. Frank happened near the intersection with Murphy. former High Commissioner Breezy Path.

### The exact tonnage of these Manslaughter Sequel To Fatality

In Bonham Road LIEUTENANT THOMAS

PARKINSON, 51, Quartermaster of the Hongkong Volunthe teer Defence Corps, was charged with Manslaughter at the Cen-The Crown indictment alleges that Parkinson, whilst driving his car along Bonham Road on December 23. knocked down and killed one Wong

of the Philippines, will be appointed "A remand of seven days was MOSCOW, Jan. 8 (Reuter) .- For to the Supreme Court and that the granted after formal evidence had Solicitor-General, Mr. Robert Jacks been tendered by the Crown Bail of son, will become Attorney General, \$100 was permitted.

## Further Turkish Cause Panic

ANKARA, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—Fresh tremors were felt in Southern Anatolia to-day.

Several hundreds of buildings collapsed and many more panic-stricken people have been rendered home-

Fortunately the death roll is believed to have been small. This is because the quakes came in the daytime and the people had time to rush out of their houses before the buildings fell in and collapsed. Floods persist and the River Euphrates is causing great damage, while villages are swept! away. Its waters are still rising.

President Incunu is completing preparations for a tour of the entire devastated area.

#### Europa's Cold Wave

LONDON, Jan. 3 .(Reuter).—Bad weather is striking other parts of Europe besides Turkey. In Southern Spain, violent rains are falling and at least one, river has risen 30 feet:

In Central Europe, great hardshipis being caused by the extreme cold. In Rumanis, a temperature of 50 dogrees below freezing point is re-

#### British Offer

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Rester):-The Government has offered to put a. hospital ship at the disposal of the Turkish Gvoernment.

The latter has replied, expressing gratitude and stating that it will accept the offer should the need arise.

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#### Franco-Spanish Railway Resumes

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imply. The design of the Western Union Telegraph and Cable Company as the
graph and Cable Company as the Catalan frontier on Tuesday night.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1910, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Cheung Sha Wan, in the Colony July, 1893, with the option of fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the

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On the other hand half the Taillet SCORE SUCCESSES military service is generally welcom- volunteers, arms and ammuni-

tinuing their efforts to aid the Finnish munique issued to-day states: and French Governments are ... con-Government.

Fulfilling Orders Naturally the fact that both are engaged in a major war to some points at the front. assistance, but it is revealed that planes were brought down by our certain large contracts which Finland lighters." placed in England before the outbreak or nostilities, and which had been suspended as the result of the war,

Official Report of River Plate Battle

HOW H.M.S. Exeter. swept of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 by concentrated shell fire, with years, commencing from 1st only one of her own heavy guns working and her gun crews killrenewal at a Crown Rent to be ed and wounded, kept on fighting the Graf Spee, is described in an official despatch.

It comes from one of the Colonial Governors and it is a story, of British 'naval grit and courage and of heroes who did the impossible, of heroes who would not be beaten.

One shell, in a terrific battle that went on for an hour, killed eight men out of 15. And there was one man who had both legs shot off. But

8 Killed By One Shell

Here is the official report as it reached London:

WEDNESDAY, December 13. with perfect visibility. Exeter, pressed-with reason. flagship) and [ Achilles, in company, sighted a battleship, which was believed to be the Scheer throughout the action.

The enemy spotted the high mast of the Excter soon after six. and opened fire at about 1214. miles. Exeter returned the fire, the vessels steaming parallel.

The first salvo from the German | ment. 11-inch guns fell short; the second fell directly astern; the third and fourth missed, but the fifth scored a hit and the seventh a direct hit. The impact of a shell on the forward turret killed outright eight out of 15 of the crew of Marines and PARTICULARS' & CONDITIONS made havor of the bridge immediate-Shot For Shot

day of January, 1940, at 3 p.m., The captain was unscathed, but at the Offices of the Public one of two-hien with him was killed. Exeter closed, receiving three or four more hits from 11-inch shells one Lot of Grown Land at Ma Graf Spee's 5.9-inch guns. She returned shot for shot till only one turned shot for shot till only one Kong, for a term of 75 years, by hand. [The Exeter carried six]

Numerous shells which fall alongside riddled the ship's side

reconnaissance parties successfully fulfilled their missions in the various

### BEHIND THE HEADLINES

Graf Spee's defeat by smaller British vessels of inferior armament, plus her comparative failure against British shipping in three months of war, have raised doubts as to the value of the "pocket" ship in the future.

Meanwhile, Ribbentrop has not been idle. For weeks he has been trying in vain to woo Japan.

Fom a high diplomatic source we learn that he even suggested that Germany would give the Japanese a footing in the Dutch East Indies in return for co-operation.

This suggestion was first made at the time Hitler was con-In the words of Captain F. S. Bell, sidering an invasion of Holland. It is even said that the threatof the Exeter, the men were "superb." ened invasion was partly intended to impress the Japanese.

Japan did not fall for the bait. But it is still dangling on the hook. General von Fritsch has put his foot in it-post-humously.

was a cloudless day, calm and He was mysteriously killed in Poland. His will has been sup-He left a small sum to a fund for the benefit of brother

officers "who have a sound conception of justice, religion and human dignity." He refers to the Russo-German pact and calls on fellow-officers to fight against, "dishonourable methods of modern politicians"—meaning Nazis.

His lawyer, who circulated copies to officers concerned, is said to have disappeared. Estonia is now entirely in Soviet hands—except for govern-

Stalin has offered General Laidoner, Estonian C.-in-C., enough war material to create a powerful army. Offer accepted. Stalin intends that this army shall be at Russia's service—if, and when necessary.

# r'ormer

The Admiralty has issued the following list of casualties which occurred when H.M.S. Duchess was sunk.

The list is now believed to be complete, and the next of kin of all concerned have been informed.

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To Sweden

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Amalgamation is are now being executed.

The French are also supplying money and munitions, and the policy of the two governments would seem to be to continue this help regardless of the impression it might produce in Moscow or Berlin.

Indeed in some quarters it is suggested that the attitude of Germany and the postal Tole
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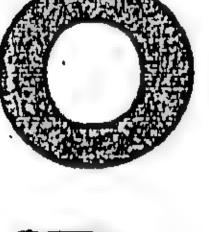
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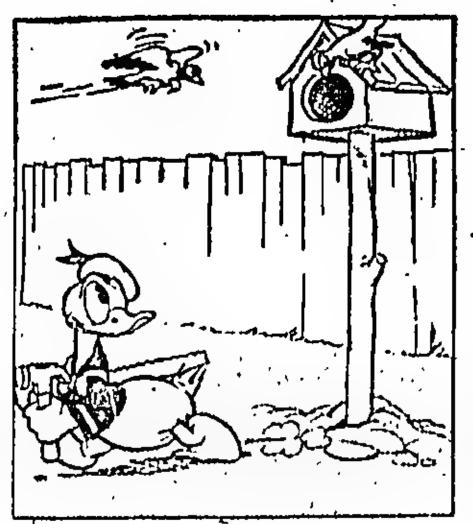
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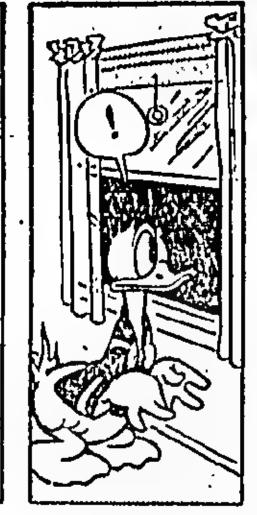
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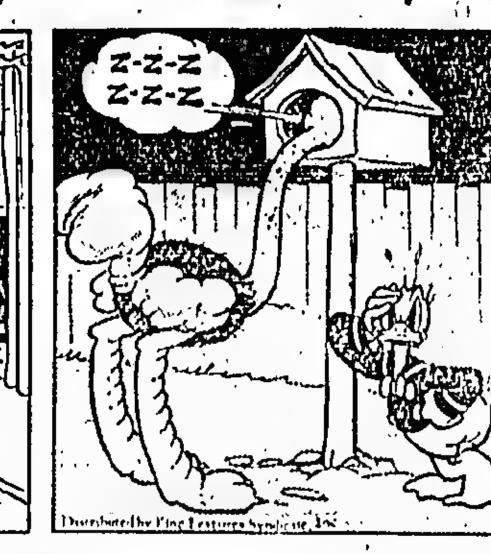
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Clocher D'Amour (Martel & Others) living in Java, was wiped out by ther Report. 1.30 Reuter & Rugby Press. Forecast and Announce-

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Dance Music. Close down.

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#### · 50 YEARS AGO

Jan. 4, 1890. Governor des Voeux will, in all probability, leave here for home next Blarch, and his return is uncertain. His Excellency's health has, unfortunately, not been so satisfactory us could have been wished. Hongkong will greatly miss one of the ablest and most consciontious rulers that has over controlled the dostinies of the colony.

#### 25 YEARS AGO

Jan. 4, 1915. The first contingent will leave Hongkong on January 29. Intending recruits must be finally accepted before Jan. 10,

to approve of the grant of the Victorial demanded Mr. Nielson to hand over Cross to nine officers, non-commissioned the pay roll of Yuan 8,000. It is officers and mon, for conspicuous believed that the thugs were strike bravery while serving with the Expeditlenary Force.

#### 10 YEARS AGO

Rent . Problem Committee held their grenade. It did not explode. 24 Trade Guilds Association last night. thugs and grappled with one of them 5 YEARS AGO.

lodged a telegraphic appeal with the range, but did not hit him.

Talk by Dr. Selwyn-Clarke Services, "Campaign against Tuber-7.30 London Relay—The News. 8.0 Local Time Signal, Weather

Orchestra; Vous Oubliez Votre making originated in Southeastern Cheval (Trenet-Aready); J'al Connu Asia from which it spread to various De Vous (Trenet)....Charles Trenet lands.

8.30 Concert Waltzes. Waltz Nanétte (nrr. Schwartz)....

Moreton & Kaye on Two chestra cond. by Dr. Lee Blech. 8.45 Studio-Talk on "The Psychology of the War."

9.05 Roger Quilter-Three Eng-Selwyn-Clarke, Director of Medical lish Dances. New Light Symphony Orchestra.

9,15 London Relay-News Sum-

"The Quaker Girl." 9.45 Patricia Rossborough (Plano) and Robinson Cleaver (Organ). Zampa (Herold); Chrefree-Selec-

11.0 Close down.

#### EUROPEAN TACKLES ROBBERS

if they wish to proceed with the first Car and Foundry Company, Mr. John America by Coronado and the contingent.

R. Nielson, was attacked in his office Spanish Conquistadores. by six Chinese thugs armed with The King has been graclously pleased Mausers and hand grenudes. They

League of Nations, alleging that Italian
Three hundred employees were work of the American Fauntierey, troops are massing near the town of huddled at one end of the compound Massey, and Sabu in a spacious molo Gerlogubi and that they attacked the Gerlogubl and that they attacked the huddled at one end of the compound Massey, and Sabu in a spacious melo-drama of the border there is nothing to prevent and watched the thugs escape—drama of the North-West Frontier, done war in Germany which was, launched the border there is nothing to prevent drama of the North-West Frontier, done war in Germany which was, launched the border there is nothing to prevent drama of the North-West Frontier, done war in Germany which was, launched the border there is nothing to prevent drama of the North-West Frontier, done war in Germany which was, launched the launched launched the launched launched the launched launched launched launched the launched l

### Expedition Makes New Discovery

# 66 MAININD'S CRADLE"

PHILADELPHIA. -Further evidence that Southeastern Asia was the most Ekely "cradle of mankind," was presented before the autumn meeting of the American Philosophical Society.

Helmut Deterra, formerly of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia, gave a preliminary report of his expedition to Burma under a grant from the Philosophical Society, asserting that tools and weapons of very ancient origin had been found which must have been contemporary to both Pithecanthropus (Java man) and Sinanthropus (Peking man).

These are the oldest distinctly human remains found and have been

dated at approximately 1,000,000 Opinion favours the theory that although Peking man was very primitive and possessed of only a low grade intelligence, both may have existed at the same time just as there are variations in head size

and human knowledge among the inhabitants of earth to-day.

Form vs. Usefulness

"The type of tool we found is so primitive," Mr. Deterra said, "as to confirm the theory of low grade intelligence corresponding to the crude mental status of Peking man. Rather than form, which occupied the attention of later races in Africa and Europe the technique employed. and Europe, the technique employed by these most ancient of Asiatic tool-making races purposed immedi-

ate usefulness." The explorer told also of finding parallels of the same kind of stone J'Attendral...(Oliveri & Poternt); age culture in Northern India, in Sombreros and Mantillas (Valsade & Java, and in China, wherefore his 12.15 p.m. Short Service of Inter- Chanty) . . . . Rina Ketty (Vocal) with surmise that the most ancient tool-

12.40 Billy Cotton & His Band.

10 Local Time Signal and Wea
Reve Secret ....L'Accordeoniste more than half a century ago by a ...Rina Ketty (Vocal) with Orches- volcanic cruption 1,000,000 years ago. tra; En Quittant Une Ville (Trenet) Throughout the centuries 32 active ... Charles Trenet (Vocal) & His volcanoes have built up layers of ash and mud to an average depth of 80

Soring Waltz (arr. Schwartz); But during the comparatively recent rising of the land, the Solo Russian Novelty Orchestra; My Darl- River slowly cut away the debris ing Waltz (The Gypsy Baron'-J. and it was along the banks of this Strauss)... Berlin State Opera Or- stream, now having croded the surface to where it was before the cruptions, that many valuable finds are being made."

Migration Of Horse

horse. He thereby definitely estab-lishes its migration to tropical evitable economic catastrophe. Southern Asia at this early date. "dawn-horse" was a five-toed creature about the size of a dog.

that after the horse migrated to Nazi "Voelkischer Beobachter." other parts of the world in comparatively recent times, it become extinct in America. The so-called wild horses of the American west, captured and trained by the early Shanghal, Jan. 3. proneers, are said to have been the The superintendent of the China descendants of horses brought to

Jan. 4, 1930. other surprised thugs dashed to the "Dead End," again take the leading outbreak of the war. The members and efficials of the door. The last man threw a hand roles in this film. In a country house a wealthy and pampered young boy reis called in and on his advice six young Himmler any longer, hoys of the street are brought from the He look a gun from another and Enst side of New York to encourage Jan. 4, 1935. | chared away the last thug, who the voluntary invalid to behave like a The Abyssinian Government has pumped shots at Mr. Nielson at close normal healthy child. Needless to say, the "little tough guys" make short



"If the first caveman came back" ["Pitts burgh Post Gazette," U.S.A.

## Goering's Fuehrer

BY WILLI FRISCHAUER

DOES Goering think he would be acceptable to the Allies as an alternative to Hitler?

under this impression and is acting accordingly.

In his talk before the society Mr.

Deterra told of a number of vertebrate fossils he uncovered among
ancient river formations in Upper

Hitler failed—to secure peace
ancient river formations in Upper

Con Communication in the near future

Its half-page article betrays a fear of prisoners such as is never admitted towards the British or French soldier in the field. 9.20 Selections from "The Bo- ancient river formations in Upper for Germany in the near future Burma. Probably the most important of these finds were of the and save his country from inclaims, 107,000 prisoners managed to

tion; That Certain Age—Selection; What makes the story of the horse Noia (Arndt); The Wedding of the Painted Doll (Brown).

10.0 An hour of Dance Music.

Southern Makes the story of the horse the repeated warnings in the news-information to France and Britain papers controlled by him that the under the stamps of their censored blockade is confronting Germany letters and smuggled out newspaper with a serious problem and that the cuttings with "a wealth of information to France and Britain papers controlled by him that the cuttings with "a wealth of information to France and Britain papers controlled by him that the cuttings with "a wealth of information to France and Britain papers controlled by him that the cuttings with "a wealth of information to France and Britain papers controlled by him that the cuttings with "a wealth of information to France and Britain papers controlled by him that the letters and smuggled out newspaper with a serious problem and that the cuttings with "a wealth of information to France and Britain papers controlled by him that the letters and smuggled out newspaper with a serious problem and that the cuttings with "a wealth of information to France and Britain papers controlled by him that the letters are serious problem and that the cuttings with "a wealth of information to France and Britain papers controlled by him that the letters are serious problem and that the cuttings with "a wealth of information to France and Britain papers controlled by him that the letters are serious papers controlled by him that the letters are serious papers controlled by him that the letters are serious papers controlled by him that the letters are serious papers controlled by him that the letters are serious papers controlled by him that the letters are serious papers controlled by him that the letters are serious papers controlled by him that the letters are serious papers controlled by him that the letters are serious papers controlled by him that the letters are serious papers controlled by him that back as the Eccene period when the country is feeling the pinch already tion."

These admissions are in sharp con-A further complication of the trast to the "everything in the nuts. picture is found in the knowledge larder's lovely" boasts of the official

ACCORDING to reliable information Goering has been-suffering from this "Crown-Prince" complex ever since Hitler nominated him as successor in the leadership of Germany.

In Schorfhelde, Goering's country estate, a Nazi shadow Government is functioning, Goering holds court OUR GUIDE TO there surrounded by a few generals fleials ruled recently that American and industrial leaders. warplanes bought by the French.

Whatever their plans, they must be distasteful to Hitler who is said to Mr. Niclson selzed the gun of the nearest assailant, whereupon the who appeared with such success in dramatic political testament at the

He cannot play off Goering against eighth meeting at the big ball of the Mr. Nielson chased the fleeing fuses to leave his bed. A psychiater Hess and both of them against expedition. And he cannot drop his successor.

> "ENEMIES in your rearl" With this warning the "Voel- border without being dismanifed. "The Drum" (Majestic): Raymond kischer Beobachter" continues a hate

escape from Germany. That, they declare, accounts for And those who did not escape sent

> They even hid secret codes in-"Nuts to the Nazis" is the only reply one can give.

### Push-And-Pull On Border

WASHINGTON Government of-British and Canadian Governments could not be flown to Canada under their own power, and could not take his off from American soil for flights across the Atlantic.

> Under international law, it was ruled, this would constitute an armed

Experis agreed, however, that there was nothing to prevent planes being flown to the Canadian border and being pushed or pulled across the

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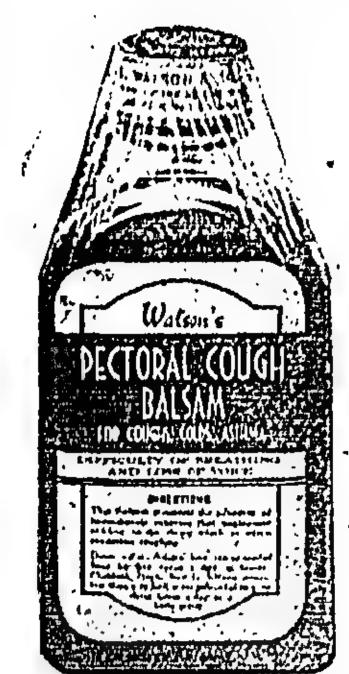
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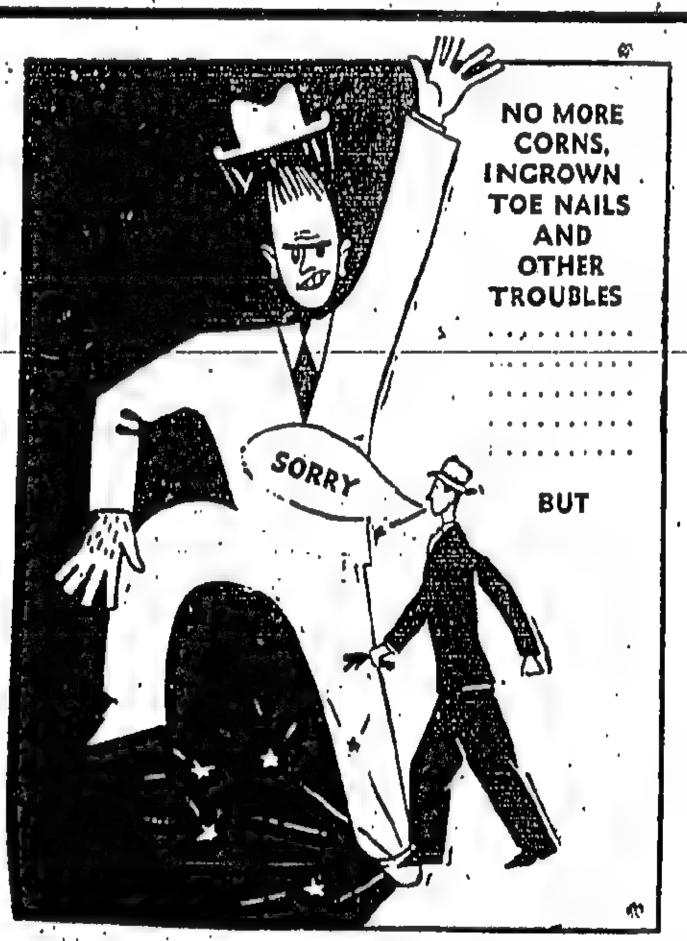
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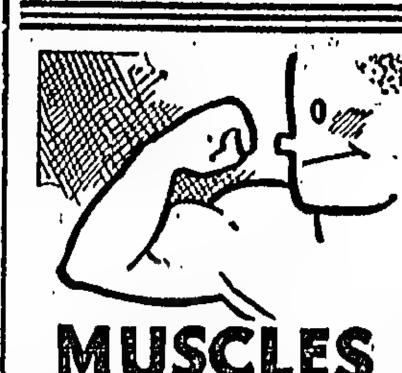
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Beating The Bomber?

France as aggressors for doing what it has been urging them to do for years. For weeks the world's mightiest armies face worth talking of taking place. It is therefore perhaps not surprising that the claim of Dr. Goebbels' Propaganda Ministry that planes which raided Wilhelmand Cuxhaven were brought against Germany's chances of ultimate success.

From the British point of view these raids were highly successful; but no attempt has been made to deny that the attacking force suffered heavy losses. Heavy losses, too, have been inflicted upon German airplanes striving to bomb the English coast.' And a German bomber was brought down by the Royal Air Force Patrol be- is reached. fore it reached British shores.

been ascribed to marked superiority in the British fighter planes. But the more considered and generally accepted view is that air defence is to-day so well the attack.

Subsequent events may cause this judgment to be revised. has taken.

striking power be neutralised.

always get through, Germany will have lost the advantage upon which she very largely re-

## Warfare The Arctic Circle

THE SCENE of to-day's a moment's notice, once in, this fighting in Finnish Lap- same curly toe keeps it in place. land, where Soviet troops and Finns struggle for possession of the Arctic Road, close-growing trees. is not familiar to many.

catch the salmon and trout that abound in the lakes and rivers. A handful of mo- up the snow in a theatrical and torists take their cars up romantic way. the sandy high-

way from the Arctic Circle, where the Helsingfors - Royaniemi railway ends, to Lilnahamari, the icc-

free harbour on the Arctic sky. Otherwise they must depend

hotels, charmingly furnished, longer than the one before, where in summer students from hastening towards the 24-hour languages, look after the comfort of tourists and of passengers from the twice-a-day THE NATIVE inhabitants of buses, that take two days over the full journey.

THE southern half of the road THIS is a war of paradoxes. Here and there a river cuts the ing notched billets of wood on the wires that stretch from bank to bank, But beyond Ivalo, which beasts a tiny hospital, a each other without any fighting | hotel and a few shops, the scenery improves. The enormous lake of Inari can be seen between the trees, with thousand little islands.

fifty per cent of the British air- | where battles are now being down tells heavily is particularly beautiful. huge stretch of water is backed during the winter. by a great hill which in summer The road runs along the east shore and the western shore is in Norway.

> gradually grow smaller. The next stop on the feasts are of reindeer meat. bus route is Ylaluostari, where then, too, he trains as many as there is a small Russian monastransport animals. He and all his mother had embroidered so was watching her carefully, Then there are no more signs

organised and efficient that, tract of land north of Pitkajarvi is called Petsamo, so when the both in Germany and in Britain, Soviets claim to have conquered PESIDE the native Lapp, many to leave plenty of room for Ah the Chief of the next village it has got the upper hand over or captured it, it is probably an D Finns have settled up in the Tai behind!" exaggeration.

ed country is of necessity desolate regions lead at the best of But so far, it is the logical con- difficult . . . almost insuper- times an extremely hard life. clusion from the course the war ably difficult in summer. Great During the short summer, tor- fastened up tight to Ah Mooi's ing with Ah Mooi's parents and. treacherous swamps called "mos- mented by mosquitoes, they must small flat back and Ah Mooi put grandparents, who really matter- to collect green sluft for themselves a small hand to each side, held ed most, for grandparents are between labor and can only then Manifestly it is a conclusion between lakes and can only then and hay to feed their beasts during the tiny feet, and felt im- very important in China, it was greatly to the advantage of the be crossed by those who know the 7 or 8 months of snow. Allies. It is not they, but Germany, whose power is built on an assumption of the overwhelming striking force of airplance of lakes, the only place of the overwhelming striking force of airplance of lakes, the only place of the overwhelmbound lakes, the only place of the overwhelmthem well. In winter, of course, In the winter, apart from trapping, the ice and snow make them doors. Those who can afford it, of the overwhelmthem well. In winter, of course, In the winter, apart from trapping, the ice of the overwhelmthem well. In winter, of course, In the winter, apart from trapping, the ice of the overwhelmthem well. In winter, of course, In the winter, apart from trapping, the ice of the overwhelmthem well. In winter, of course, In the winter, apart from trapping, the ice ond snow make them doors. Those who can afford it, the ice of the overwhelmthem well. In winter, of course, In the winter, apart from trapping, the ice of the ice of the overwhelmthem well. In winter, of course, In the winter, apart from trapping, the ice of the ice of the overwhelmthem well. In winter, of course, In the winter, apart from trapping, the ice of the ice of the overwhelmthem well. In winter, of course, In the winter, apart from trapping, the ice of th

none of the complicated exhaustion.

In the forests it is more convenient to carry them than to manoeuvre them through the Fighters in this Northern

A few fishermen of vary- land these days never see the ing nationalities go there sun. In fact all this month during happier times to they will probably see no day-

Between noon and 3 p.m. a rosy glow on the horizon lights During the

night the glories of the shimmersea-green and pink Aurora Borealis may thrill them in the Northern

on the moon and stars to light their way. Early in the New At intervals all the way up the Year the sun appears again and road are little red wooden every "day" is considerably the University, speaking several length it attains at the end of

> the country suffer, we can hope, possibly less than refugees of any other race because they are a nomadic people.

The little Lapp, most timid and harmless of souls, travels is pretty but monotonous, hundreds of miles every winter Endless fir-forests completely after new feeding-grounds for cover the rolling countryside, the reindeer that are his wealth.

Living in their pointed skin Russia brands Britain and road and while unfrozen must tents, they settle a while round all the rice had been gatherbe crossed on a floating plat- some place where their beasts ed and when Ah Mooi's form that is propelled by hook- can hoof away the snow and browse on the moss they love. The men spear holes in the ice spare, she called Ah Mooi. of the lake and fish under conditions freezing enough to deter the toughest of Messrs. Hardy's customers. Then, the feeding been so happy and excited, ground laid waste, they move on its with all their belongings to the next suitable spot.

It is only in summer, when their At Salmijarvi and Pitkajarvi reindeer are turned loose to range at tranquil) for she had been pro- that if anything had hurt Ah will over the whole country, that the mised that soon she was to The foreigner said he would take. fought, is the grandest stretch place and even then he makes many begin to carry Ah Tai ("Little her home and explain everything" of country to be seen. Pitka- excursions in his skin canoes, in- Brother") on her back. iarvi. ("jarvi" means "lake"), cluding one grand trek down to Rovaniemi to sell the skins collected

The reindeer provides the Lapp with his winter clothing of skin and FOR some months Ah Mooi had THE foreigner, who was really and winter is equally impressive. fur-a hood, a cloak, huge mitts, and loose fur stockings to tuck into his soft, high boots. These are also stuffed with straw against frost-bite. Reindeer horn provides his wife with needles and weaving-shuttles and with pins for her hair. His fewer. and children drink reindeer milk and his

tery and an inn. Some miles family and their luggage travel over further on is Alaluostari, where the snow in "pulkas". These are there is another Russian church, narrow, boat-shaped sleighs holding one person only. Once in, you are in for good, so to speak. Should of human life until Linahamari your very wild puller decide to run away, you may turn somersaults and be dashed from rock to rock on the Because this harbour remains very hard ground but you cannot get has four long ends to fold and and often went blind. These German losses have open throughout the severest out unless you cut the traces and let tie round the body. Very often winter it was rapidly becoming him go. If you annoy your reinquite a settlement. A large inn, deer he may turn round and try to a petrol station, several dwell posing you get a doclie beast, the ling-houses and godowns were motion is pleasant. He can attain them!

He had found a way of the babies are nearly as big as treating and often curing them, but it usually meant hospital—them! there when I last visited it five quite a considerable speed with his years ago and by now it must clumsy, lolloping gait, and cover be very much enlarged. All this many dozen miles a day under good whilst her mother told her how

northernmost parts of their country and the loss of their farms and Progress by troops over villages, burnt by retreating armies, this sort of heavily wood- will cause terrible suffering.

It would be difficult to find a more determined adversary than the Finn If, in fact, the bomber cannot FINNISII skis have, as a rule, from giving up despite privation and

harness needed by skiers in Should the Soviet, with her overmountainous districts. A sim- whelmingly superior numbers, overple strap allows a curly-toed run his country, she will find that boot to be slipped in and out at kind of real or successful victory.



with a mouth like a folded she remembered the little;

One lovely morning, when his small feet. mother had a little time to

been called. For days she had the small Ah Mooi looking so (though no one would have to be afraid. guessed this; Chinese children are usually so grave and

Sometimes several sticks would loved him. Very soon Ah Mooi be fastened to her back, then an was telling him how, to-day, old doll and later a bundle; and she had been allowed to carry Ah Mooi could hardly wait to be Ah Tai for the first time. allowed to have Ah Tai fastened beautifully.

A me-tani is a large square doctor had lived a long time in sling made of strong cloth and China: one of the things that with coloured embroidery on it- made him sad was that so many often of birds and flowers. It children suffered in this way

Ah Mooi came and listened devils." careful she was to be of Ah Tai. lucky day, for just as her "If you sit, Ah Mooi, remember mother came out to meet her.

was several months old—was Bye and bye, after much talk-

ing striking force of airplanes.

It is not they, but Germany,

where progress on skis is at all it is these hardy men who are a feroclous tiger and not a baby completely cured and back, with the me. and give it a wide berth.

> She trotted off and walked along the narrow grass verge which separated the rice fields from each other and was turning "foreign devils" had been ..... a corner by the well.

came springing towards her.

H.MOOI was six years | For a moment Ah Mooi's. old, small and golden heart nearly stopped beating. She was terribly frightened and brown, slender and was turning to run away when brother fastened on her back. She stood quite still and held

How glad she was to hear someone calling.

The creature stopped as in a moment a big "foreigner" came along and fastened a large strap Ah Mooi knew why she had to his Alsatian. When he saw pale and frightened he spoke to her in Chinese and told her not

> Soon Ah Mooi was telling him to her mother.

been prepared for this. the Chinese as much as they all

While she was chattering away noticing that Ah Mooi's eyes were inflamed and sore. The

parents are afraid of the "foreign

Somehow this was Ah Mooi's came by. He hurried forward and told Ah Mooi's mother how the wonderful foreign doctor had cured his son's eyes some

agreed that Ah Mooi should go with the doctor.

Ah Tai again fastened in the metani to her small back. She told him of all the wonderful things she had seen in the big hospital and how kind the

To-day' Ah Mooi is happily Suddenly a huge creature employed as Amoh to the: doctor's children.—C.

### NEW YEAR TRAGEDIES

#### Many Die In Hotel Fire And Train Smash

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" An hotel fire in Minneapolis and a train smash near Tokyo yesterday resulted in at least 28 deaths, according to exclusive reports received by the "Telegraph."

A "United Press" message from Minneapolis says that at least. 18 people lost their lives! yesterday following an outbreak of fire in the furnace room of the Marlborough Apartment Hotel in the city.

The stairway was enveloped in flames, trapping most of the 200 residents.

"Reuter" confirms the death roll, and adds that although all available fire engines were called out, the cold was so intense that the water from the hoses froze before reaching the

Fatal Collision

A "Domel" report from Tokyo says that ten persons were killed and over 60 injured, many of them seriously, when a head-on collision occurred on Tuesday afternoon on the Mussahino electric railway near the border between the Tokyo and Sultama Prefectures.

A freight train ran into a passenger train crowded with New Year holiday-makers,

hill, where a sharp curve prevented and a large group of former Czechoa long range view for the engine Slovukian Army officers living in

20 Bodies Pecavered MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 3 (UP).-Twenty bodies have been recovered 40 people were injured 23 of whom have been sent to hospital. Those injured include two firemen and two policemen.

## Praise From The French

#### British War Effort Appreciated

PARIS, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—The British Empire's concerted war effort is warmly praised by a to Russia. contributor to "Le Matin."

French troops watching the Rhine he says, receive deep satisfaction at the steady growing-up, beside them, of a British army which also counts its soldlers by the million. The "Contemptible Little Army"

has once again become a great army in a very short time, and Frenchmen could not praise too highly their British friends for not delaying single day in their efforts towards a regime will encounter very strong the battle. trlumph of their joint lask,

#### "WE CANNOT PRETEND THIS WAR IS NOT OUR BUSINESS"

### --> FROM PAGE ONE

-if it is ruled by force in the hands of a few. "Already the clash of swiftly moving events over the earth 'has made-all-of-us-think-with-a-longer "Fortunately, that thinking cannot

be controlled by partisanship, "The time is long past when any political party or any particular group can carry or capture public favour by labelling itself a peace party' or a 'peace bloc'. That label belongs to the whole United States and to every right-thinking man, woman and child within it.

"Out of the military turmoil into which the world has been plunged two facts have emerged. "Firstly, the United States' ac-

complishment towards the establishment of a 'good neighbour' policy in

world peace."

Flamos Of Human Liberty "We must, as a united people, keep more authorised ships. ablaze the flames of human liberty, reason, democracy and fair-play. democracy justified its existence as but it was too early to reach any the best instrument of government conclusions. He intends to push yet devised by mankind,"

#### DEFENDERS MAINTAIN **OFFENSIVE**

(Continued from Page 1.)

designing new and highly important models of Red Army armament," Vassili Degtyarev is awarded the title of Hero of Socialist Labour, the Order of Lenin and 50,000 roubles. The "Izvestia" remarks that Degiyarev's inventions have been of very great importance, enhancing the technical might of the Red Army. Infantry, aviation and tank troops have received armaments in no way inferior and in some respects surpassing the best foreign models.

#### UNITY MITTORD IN ACCIDENT

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).-The Mitford family left Folkesione for the later owing to an accident en route beginning of the war. to the ambulance in which Unity was travelling.

### Exchange At A Glance

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30 d/s India ......84%

U.S. Cross rate in London ..4.02

U.S. Cross rate in N.Y. ....3.95

London, Jan. 3. A new wave of prrests has recently awept over the Czech Protectorate. The Times correspondent in Belgrade The necident occurred on a steep learns from Prague. Four Generals Moravia are among those taken into

custody. The entire staff of the foreign correspondence section of the Skoda Works are held in custody for investigation and there have been arrests also in the newly formed Government troops. Two journalists were arrested in their offices. The Gestapo has raided an illegal newspaper called H Boj (To Arms) and some of the editorial collaborators are

believed to have been killed, The prisons in Prague are still full and the Karlovo Namesti dungeons, which used to be shown to tourists as examples of mediaeval barbarism, are snow in use.-Reuter Special,

Report Denied Berlin, Jan. 3. Authoritative quarters deny the Copenhagen reports that Russia has asked Germany to send specialists

renewed its attacks on the Belgian Press which is accused of being pro-Ally and not neutral.-United Press.

Newswoman's Prediction New York, Jan. 3. purges in Germany is made by action, Captain Parry knew exactly

Herald-Tribune. She also forecasts that the Nazi Zealanders behaved magnificently in opposition from the women and farmers during the year.—Reuter, .

Afghan Border London, Jan. 3. It is authoritatively stated in London official circles that no credence whatever can be attached to the rumours given out in certain foreign broadcasts of Russian troop concentrations on the borders of

Afghardistan. It is further learned that the Afguari Government has officially denied there has been any mobilisation-of-their armed forces and nothing ! whatever is known of any mobilisa- much of the news regarding tion in Iran.—Reuter.

Washington, Jan. 3, Mr. Charles Edison, Assistant Navy Secretary, is studying means for acceleration of the record warship 200. construction programme.

He said the Navy's authorised building programme was progressing south and central America is without ahead of schedule in some categories without causing delay in any other "Secondly, public opinion in al- category. The authorised programme most every nation is convinced that was on the regular planned basis, the United States will continue to any acceleration of which must be be potent and active in seeking submitted to Congress which would be called upon to decide on that before very long. At this time it might President Roosevelt concluded: be more advantageous to lay down

Mr. Edison said the Navy, at Congress request, is assembling data as "May the year 1940 be pointed to to the feasibility of construction of by posterity as another period when super-battleships up to .80,000 tons, scientific research on the latest weapons and ships and to "grab any new foreign ideas, lnasmuch as the United States has no monopoly on brains." The Navy was pushing ahead with

the development of fast motor torpedo boats and sub-chasers, of which the Navy may produce on a mass production basis.—United Press. Wolcomed As Heroes

Montevideo, Jan. 3. .The newspaper Eldia with a very wide circulation, appeals to the Uruguayan women to receive the men of H.M.S. Ajax with flowers. Rear-Admiral Sir Henry Harwood.

who commanded the British forces during the battle with the Admiral Graf Spee, visited the President of Uruguay and the Foreign and Defence Ministers.

The visit in purely a courtesy one lasting two days,-Reuter. ... Neutrala' Losses

Stockholm, Jan. J. Redesdales home in Buckingham- has announced that Sweden lost it war is described in the "Dagbladet" for equipping and maintaining The Norwegian Government has what Germany fears is that the Allies transport, are selzing the opportunity to weaken All form labour.

## conqueror receives warm welcome

MONTEVIDEO, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—An extremely warm welcome was given to H.M.S. Ajax when she arrived here to-day on a The Ajax fired a salvo when!

she was two miles out of port Montevideo marine arsenal. Two special tugs led her to the berth vacated by the cruiser, Uruguay, while ships sounded their sirens and a crowd of thousands of

Uruguayans and members of the British colony cheered themselves Observers state that the Ajax shows no traces of her battle with

the Graf Spec, whose battered bulk she passed on her way into Montevideo, Large crowds broke through the police cordons time and again.

and members of the Legation stail went on board and were received by the normal practice to divert to a and his officers. to the Polo Club for a pienle as guest officers.

of the Pro-Ally Committee, and antained to-morrow,

the Pro-Ally Committee to-day. . It is reported that H.M.S. and detained. Achilles, another of the three ships in the Graf Spee battle, is now on a similar visit to Buenos Aires and

the Argentine Republic. Walcome To Achilles -A roaring welcome was given the to check such traffle, British cruiser, H.M.S. Achilles, on!

restrain the crowd which sought to navicerts, rush the gangway,

After the cruiser had moored, the Argentine authorities went aboard, A heavy programme of entertainments is provided for the officers and

Tribute To C.-in-C. Captain Parry, in an interview, expressed appreciation at the magnificerit reception and paid a tribute to the manner in which Rear-Admiral exactly at the right time in the right and at advancing rates. place, by attacking as soon as the Graf Spee was sighted and giving orders so unmistakeably that although the Achilles had joined the The prediction that 1940 will bring squadron only two days before the Dorothy Thompson writing in the what to do if they met the Graf Spee. Captain Parry added that the New

### Red Diplomat Is Sarcastic

#### Finn Claims Compared With Japanese

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).--The—exaggerated—character—of |-Soviet war activities in Finland is alleged in a statement issued by the Soviet Embassy in London,

The statement declares that the alleged civilian casualties due to large-scale bombardments of open towns are not borne out by a news ngency report from Helsingfors on December 29, in which it was estimated that the ensualties totalled

The statement compares this figure with the results of a single Japanese raid on Chungking last May, and sareastically adds that the number of Soviet tanks alleged to be destroyed in Finland favourably compares with the numbers of Soviet acroplanes claimed to be brought down by Japanese communiques during the summer last year on the Mongolian-Manchurian frontier.

### Nazis Revive The Q-Boat Blame Them For

'First" U-Boat Losses

BERLIN, Jan. 3 (UP).—An nuthorised source to-day admitted that It was eager to have a flotilla for two German U-boats have been sunk tests. If they are found satisfactory, by British "submarine traps," namely armed merchant ships, since the beginning of the war. It is worthy of note that is the

by authorised German quarters.

#### NAZI ASSERTION RIDICULED

BPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" OSLO, Jan. 3 (Reuter) .- The German assertion that the Allies, particularly Great Britain, are using the Sweden and Rumania are to have Soviet-Finnish conflict as a lever to compulsory labour services. obtain "non-neutral" support from

The family are staying the night ships and the lives of D1 seamen.

Reuter Bulletin.

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### and this was returned by the Contraband Control

48-hour courtesy visit.

#### New Methods Now Being Adopted

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter),-The tightening of the control of Nazi exports is revealed in a statement by the Ministry of length with Foreign affairs. The British Minister to Uruguay Economic Warfare,

Rear Admiral Sir Henry Harwood control base any ship whose cargo is not wholly covered by certificates of To-day, 200 of the crew went out origin- issued by Allied Consular Certain exceptions are still being

other 200 will be similarly enter- given for goods ordered and paid for nesday to hear President Roosevelt's before November 27, and hardship "state of union" message which is Rear Admiral Harwood and his cases are also taken into account. But expected to deal extensively with officers are guests, of the British many applications for exemption have Legation and will be entertained by been refused and some cargoes have been unloaded at the control bases first, for extension of the reciprocal

Camouflage Attempts There is increasing evidence, says her way up the River Plate to pay the Ministry, that certain firms in neutral countries are lending themselves to attempts to camouflage goods of enemy origin as neutral goods, and BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 3 (Reuter). the necessary steps are being taken

The statement adds that United her arrival here on a courtesy visit. States exporters are taking readily programme; sixth, no proposal for Crowds lined the wharves and cheer to the system of navicerts, and during revival of the spending and lending ed lustily.

December, the first month of their measure. Thousands of people were kept back operation, applications were made for by a cordon, and the Police had to about 250,000 tons of goods under

#### STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued yesterday says; Firm conditions prevailed over the Sir Henry Harwood conducted the market during the morning with The Voelkischer Beobachter had action by concentrating his ships Docks again being largely dealt in

	Buyers
H.K. Bonk	\$1,365
Canton Ins.	\$200
Douglases	\$72
Docks	\$21.20
Providents	4142
Hotels	\$41/4
Lands .	9\$32%
Realties	\$4.30
Tranways	
Star Ferries	\$17.10
Yaumati Ferries	\$681/2
China Tighter Calab	\$2354
China Lights (old) Electrics	
	\$531/2
Sandakan Lights	\$11.10
Telephones (old)	\$241/4
Telephones (new)	\$9.10
Cements	\$1714
Dairy Farms (old)	\$2174
Dairy Farms (new)	\$211/4
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North Camarines	.17	3
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#### R.A.F. PLANE'S FATAL FLIGHT

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—The Air Ministry announces that the British aircraft forced down in Belgium was attacked by three German fighfirst admission of U-boat losses made ters while engaged in reconnaissance over Germany. One member of the crew was killed and two were alightly injured.

#### Compulsory Labour Announced

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—Bath

The journal adds that obviously such vital services as agriculture and

## LEADERS CONFER

President Roosevelt, Vice-President Garner, Senator Barkeley, leader of the Senate, and Congressman Rayburn, lender of the House of Representatives, reviewed plans and hopes for the new session of Con-gress at an hour's conference. Senator Barkeley said President Roosevelt outlined the message he will deliver to-morrow to the joint session of both Houses,

He sald the Budget message may not be sent before Friday. Mr. Garner was in joylal mood following the conference. This was his first meeting with President Roosevelt since he announced he was available for nomination as a candidate for the Presidency, Senator Bankhead sald the President's message would deal

It is reliably reported that President Roosevelt will point out the need for \$400,000,000 to \$500,000,000 new revenue to finance the increased defence programme. United Press. Address To-day

Washington, Jan. 3. Congress meets at noon on Wedforeign affairs;

It is predicted that he will ask. trade treaty explring in June; second. an additional 500 million dollars to be expended on national defence, but not for special taxes: third, remind the legislators of Congress that they are already 550 million dollars above the budget account in farm parity and other agricultural payments; fourth, no recommendations for new taxes; fifth, defend the neutrality

The Democrats hope for a short session. The Republicans, Conservatives and Democrats are expected to fight for economy. The chief restraining element to further spending in any case will be the fact of the steadily mounting national debt, which is at present 42,000 million and within 3,000 million of the 45,-000 million statutory limit.-United

### H.K. Stock Market

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issued on the Hongkong Stock	Mar
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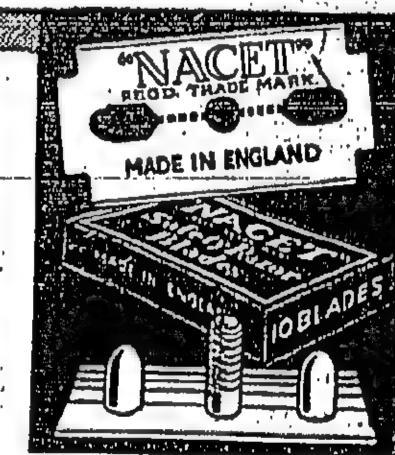
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### CLUB TROUNCE NAUY AT RUGGER

(By "Fly-half")

ON THE CLUB GROUND yesterday evening, the Club "A" defeated a weak Navy all departments, Navy put up | Chinese New Year. a plucky display, especially wild rushes.

Altkenhead, a new acquisition after January 7. drom Ceylon, played a sterling game at inside-three-quarter, and should prove a valuable versity, and give the Portuguese was Mrs. R. Silva, at left half, and Colony a few games before settles down and gets into con- Colony a few games before Miss P. Gonsalves improved in the

Stoker, Richardson, Burford and Godfrey did well in the Club pack, with the dominated the tight scrums which dominated the tight scrums.

THE Royal Engineers suffered to recover lost ground.

It was a good game, however, with the schoolgirla a trifle quicker on the

#### Durhams v. Kai Tak At Rugby To-day

The Durham Light Infantry will meet Kai Tak in a friendly l game of rugby at Prince Edward Road to-day, commencing at 5 p.m.

Jeffries converted. Club went further Gurdayal Singh were hard workers. hhend through tries by Wilson. The last line of defence did well, their forwards were not conspicuous Godfrey and Lavalle.

The teams were: man; W. Stoker, W. Burford, R. E. fast moving forwards, and their for- when she collided with Miss C. Silva Teare, Richards and Addis; Mid. Homburg scored his goal one Orliordan and Chapman; Marron, second before the final whistle, and Davies, Inglis; Longmuir, Barlow; was an untiring worker for the home

trounced their hosts by 9-0. St. manfully to stay the progress of the someone took the team in hand.

Andrew's won their first match when Radio forwards. Russell played a and in the remaining game St. in gool could hardly be blamed for Teresa's beat the Victoria Recreation the goals which beat him. Club by 8-1. The acores were:

N. Beltrao and P. Yvanich (Recreio)
lost to H. Eardley and H. Beavan 15-21:
lost to N. Smith and P. Wilson 15-21: lost
to F. Kwok and D. Kwok 7-21.
A. E. Kavier and A. M. Rodrigues
(Recroio) lost to Eardley and Beavan
11-21: lost to Eardley and Beavan
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Obtained their first victory
to the first victory ground at Sookunpoo, to the claim that the layout is a A-1

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What happened? Just \$1.17 worth
What happened? Douglas and the layout is a A-1

Obtained their first victory ground at Sookunpoo.

and Tang 0-21. .

#### Cricket Teams For The Week-end

Saturday at Happy Valley— A. M. tory, and with only ten players. I Capt. Burn (2), Lt. Forresder, and Rodrigues (Capt.), E. L. Gosano, P. M. wish them further success on their N. da Silva, W. A. Reed, H. L. Ozorio, home ground this new year.

Gosano, N Beltrao, J. M. Gosano, G. N. TRECRETO.

The following will represent Craigen - Le equalise, and Miss A. Alves re- Burn, Lt, Forresder, Lt. Chattey and mower firsts against Army on Baturday at duced the deficit once in each half, Capt. Chattey,

the Valley—E. Zimmern (Capt.). A. R. duced the deficit once in each half, Capt. Chattey.

The Durham's:—Capt. D. Evis Major back to the Philippines. Montes is best Financial Advisers Department at the Empail, A. B. Hamson. A. J. Hulse, A. but generally the defence found the Common at Major reportedly playing the best golf of his the 19th; Butterfield and Swire received a R. Ismail, A. T. Lee, E. A. Lee, H. P. Lim. schoolgirls too fast for them. Miss Simpson, Major Arderse, and Major reportedly playing the best golf of his the 19th; Butterfield and Swire received a walk-over from J. D. Huichison and Co. Umpire G. Ladd. Scorer H. W. Randall. B. Remedios was speedy on the right Kirby.

## Royal Engineers' First Deseat In Tournament: Victory For Radio

GOOD NEWS has been received from Macao during the New Year holidays. The Portuguese Colony, I hear, is willing to take part in the Inter-(3 goals, 5 tries) to 3 points played during the Easter Holidays instead of the

I should imagine the H.K.H.A. would be only too glad up forward where they used to agree with Macao's proposal. I am inclined to think their feet to advantage in that there would be too many counter attractions during the Chinese New Year. The Macao hockey players have For Club, Medman, playing at taken to soccer this season, but they are just as anxious scrum-half, was wild in his pass- to get back to the stick game once more, and are willing ing, which gave D. Hynes, at to meet all-comers from Hongkong in friendly fixtures stand-off half, an anxious time.

through the excellent hooking of Association Tournament when ball, and worthy winners. through the excenent mooning the first ten minutes, the Sappers first ten minutes, the Sappers of the creio beat the C.B.S. 4-0, in a first ten minutes, the Sappers of the creio beat the C.B.S. 4-0, in a creio beat the Longmuir and Charles were hard- exerted great pressure through one-sided encounter. The Re-

champions railled strongly and G. opponents. Miss M. Campos Singh broke through to level the and Miss M. Figueiredo comscore in the closing minutes of the bined well in the attack, but Miss L first half.

took control of the game, and with Her nice centres paved the way for fine combination and stick-work, the most of the goals which were scored. forwards got going, and two brilforwards got going, and two bril- Miss M. Osmund, at pivot, was liant goals were added by G. Singh also good, and Miss M. Ribeiro, at and K. Singh. The winners were ably generalied clearances.

Locuwen, Aitkenhead and Wilson. Singh, who was outstanding in the forward line for speed and opportunism. Awiar Singh and K. Singh double figures.

After the resumption, Medman was gave splendld support. M. H. Has-

and U. B. Silva was safe in goal. The teams were:

Club: A. J. G. Taylor; H. Van

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Leeuwen, Altkenhead, R. M. Lavalle

and P. Wilson; D. Hynes and J. Red
half, the definee failing to hold up

a bad shoking-up during the game

Davies, Inglis: Longmuir, Barlow: Davies, Inglis: Longmuir, Barlow: Was an untiring worker for the home side, combining attack with defence to great effect. Fox made many electrifying runs down the left wing in the first half, and Singleton, on the right wing, also sent in some useful centres during this period.

St. John's Trounce

Second before the final whistle, and bit back. The home are "Jug"—MacSpaden, home are "Jug"—MacSpaden, holder of the 1939 Canadian open crown, and the Zimmer-correct conching. They barely understood the rules of the game, and man brothers, Al and Mery, of were continually pulled up for glaring infringements they knew nothing a delegation of Australians inbout.

St. John's Trounce

them in the second half.

Kwok and Wilson 14-21; lost to St. Andrew's v. K.C.C.

W. M. Gillies and A. E. P. Giset (St. Andrew's v. K.C.C.)

Though playing without the ser21-6; beat Kevan and T. Wynter-Hyth
21-17; lost to J. L. Anderson and A. L.
Ester 14-21

R. E. Brown and A. S. Bliss (St. Andrew's) beat Jones and Madar 21-2; beat Kevan and Wynter-Blyth 12-17; lost to Anderson and Fisher 11-21.

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The left wing combination of Miss V.R.C. V. St. Teresa's

O. Arculli and S. A. Rumjahn (V. R. C.)

to to P. Lo and Joseph Tsang 12-21; lost
to John Tsen and F. Tsang 5-21; beat
Austin Ho and J. Tang 21-5.

P. M. Kavier and F. Castro (V. R. C.)
lost to Lo and Tsang 10-21; lost to Tsen
and Tsang 22-24; lost to Ho and Tang

display given by the intermediates. Miss S. Rosseau, Miss P. Kirby and R. C.) lost to Lo and Trang 15-21; Miss J. Kew. The Wing halves were

> with neat flick passes. Recrelo would have had more goals level. to their credit but for the brilliance of Miss Betty Goodwin, who played player on the field, scoring a beautiful a very sound game at full back. The shot from the 60 yard penalty line schbolgirls have reason to congratu- in the first chukka.

DECREIO ... fought gamely to The teams were:-Hongkoff Capt.

I wish more local clubs would wing, and on several occasions had

with their tackling, and were unable

working forwards for the Navy.

In the first half, Club scored their left wing, and Fox found creio juniors were by far the through Lavalle, Stoker, Van the net after a fierce attack. hetter team, and proved too After twenty minutes, however, the good for their inexperienced In the second half, the Radiomen was the bright feature of the game.

> left back, made several brillians by their tireless skipper, Gurbachan Had the Recreto forwards taken

penalised for picking the ball out of san was prominent at centre-half, bearing the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the serum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the serum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the serum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the serum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the serum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, Carter and the serum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the serum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the serum, and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the serum and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the serum and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the serum and from the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the serum and the penalty kick, and the wing halves, carter and the serum are the serum and the penalty kick. effort at intercepting and tackling, for their combination.

Miss M. McFarlane, however,

St. John's Trounce

Club de Recreio

The B" Division

The Engineers' defence slackened in the second half, and it was error by game on his own, as this would have been let down.

There "B" Division Badminton matches were played yesterday. At the Club de Recreio, St. John's liways in the limelight, and strove manfully to stay the progress of the semeone took the team in hand.

The umpires for this game again alterny to win his hid, who will be Norman von Nida, who will be norman von Nida von a term von Nida von a t

they beat the Rowloon C.C. by 7-2, safe game at full back, and Dobson T AM glad to hear that the Japanese monopolized practically all Sappers started with a rush but sented to play off their tournathey faded away for Radio to outplay ment fixture against the Royal Engineers on the latter's ground,

### Hongkong Team **Beat Durhams**

Street yesterday. The teams started nucleus of a Far Eastern circuit may G. B. S. Thomson (14); J. Forbes (12 ) beat C. H. Burton (10) three and two; N. K.

Capt. Burn was the outstanding



One of the players taking a shot during the basketball match at the Fong Lam School where the Fong Lam girls beat the Kwangiung Girls

### GOLFERS INVADE MANILA

### Open Tournament Starts To-morrow At Wack Wack

MANILA, Jan. 4 (UP).—The strongest array of foreign golfers ever to invade Manila will participate in the 28th annual \$5,000 Philippine Open tournament which

H. J. Bolden, president of the Wack Wack Golf and Country Club, has announced that several stars from the United States, Australia and Japan have accepted invitations to participate.

Heasman; R. M. M. King, L. A. Benn; wards being unable to make any in an attempt to score. Miss Bonney, have signified their intention to 36-hole medal play, the top 36 will at centre-half, was noticeable for and W. B. Richardson, headway against a strong visiting de-

and amateurs are expected to participate. In the last tournament the C.B.A. have sportingly con- the places from second to the tenth.

AI TEST OF SKILL

SCENE of the Philippines' Numokwok and Kwok 5-21.

II. Gonshives and II. A. Marques (Rection) lost to Eardley and Beavan 15-21:

when they accounted for Rework and Kwok 5-21.

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Last January, John Montague, the "mystery" golfer and a Hollywood favourite, crossed the ocean express- Royal Hongkong Golf Club at ly for the tourney and was thus the Fanling:
first American to invade the local Captain's Cup, first round, match-play Open. With at least three Ameri- stages.-G. Riddell-Carre (16) beat A HONGKONG TEAM defeated cans assured for the 1940 event, there Megarry (11) one up; J. W. Mayhew (10) lost to Tsen and Tsang 14-21; lost to Ho forever breaking up numerous at- the Durham Light Infantry by 4-3 in is promise that the tournament com- D. S. Edward (4) beat J. E. Richardson tacks, and feeding their forwards a friendly game of Polo at Boundary mittee's dream of making Monila the (10) also and four; L. M. Reldy (21) beat

Under present plans Open tournaments would be held in Japan, Slam, Australia, India, The Straits Settlements and Manila during the fall

Larry Montes, five-time winner of the Naval Yard: Volunteers best Manfacturers. Open tournament to bring the title title two and one; Harbour Office beat

Among the Americans who | . The tournament will be played |

# Damage

NEW YORK, Dec. 12 (UP).-It finally happened-A bull got into a China shop to-day. The bull-Royalist Dandy Victor of Twin Oaks Farm, Morristown, N. J. -was led through the china shop by Fred Waring, orchestra leader. Both nearly died of fright, especially the

It was on a bet. Waring lost a football wager to Paul Douglas, Newsreel Sports Commentator. The loser had to lead a buil through a china shop.

of China was destroyed-by Douglas, not the bull. Douglas broke a plate and a teneup in the hope of arousing "Dandy," as he is known to his intimates, to anger and action, Dandy just blinked and turned his head nway. Too noisy, apparently.

#### Results Of Fanling **Golf Competitions**

The following are the results of recent competitions played by the

Littlejohn (10) bent T. E. Penrce (14) three and two; J. T. Smith (2) received a walk-over from L. M. S. Lloyd (15); s, T. Butlin (10) beat W. Howitt (13) two

G. M. Young Cup, first round.—Butterfield and Swire beat Chinese Maritime Gustoms; Hongkong and Shanghat Bank test Chartered Bank, Becond Round Bulterfield and Swire bent Asiatio Peiroloum Co., Hongkong and Shanghai Bank have yet to meet Dodwells. Slubbs Shield, first round.—Royal Army-Pay Corps received a walk over from





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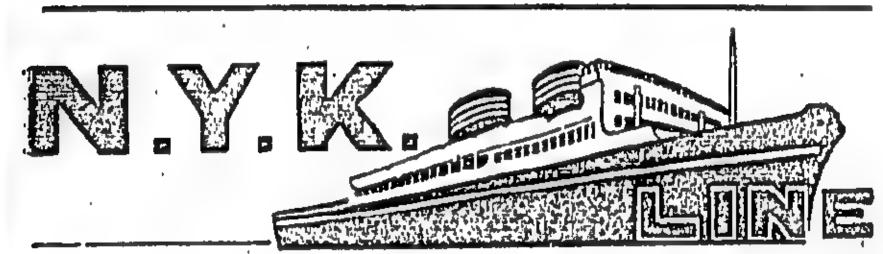
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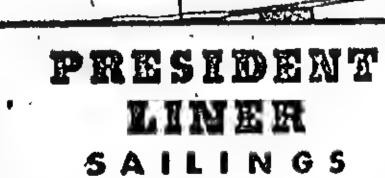
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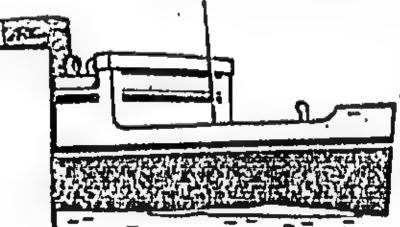
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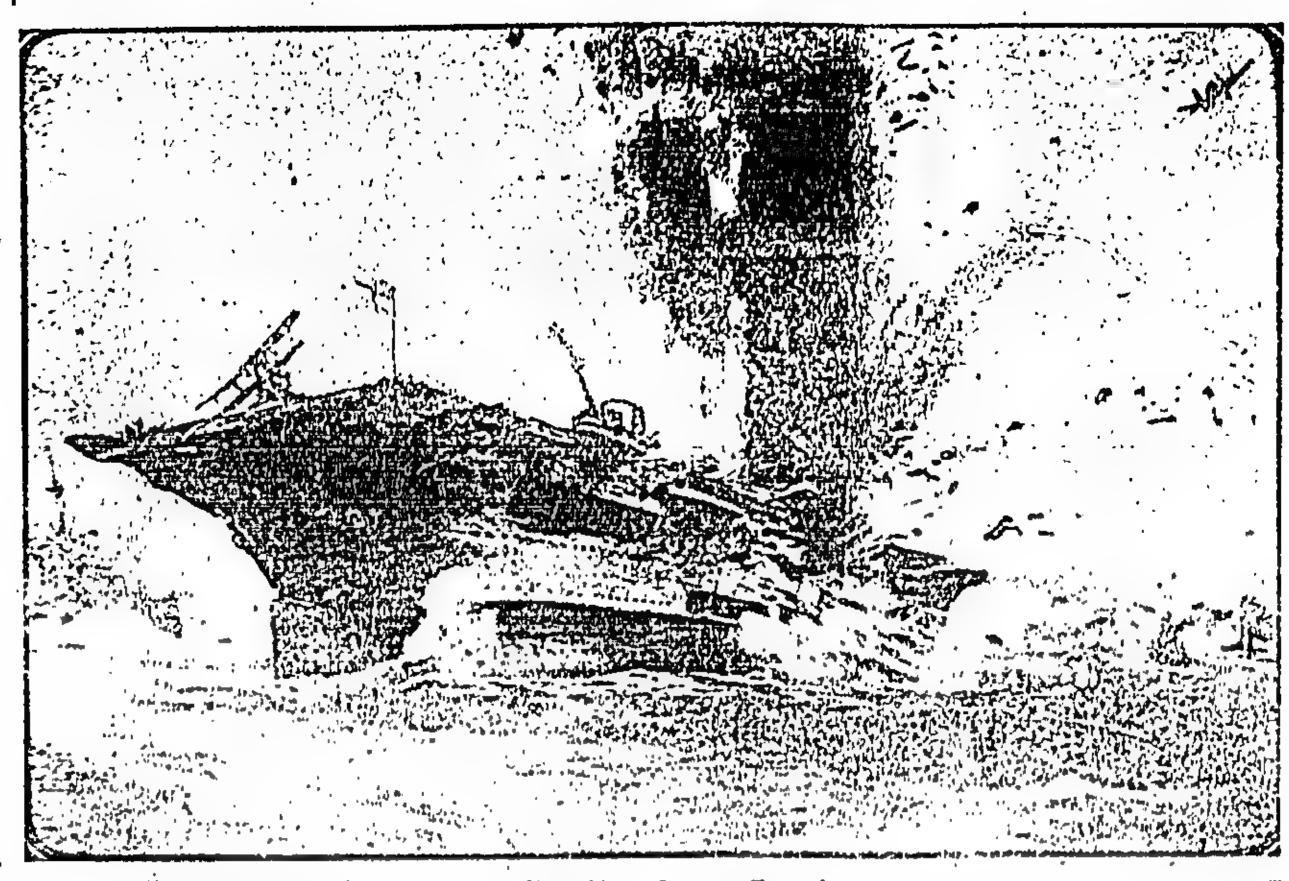
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PENDANT

(Clipped from last Thursday's

"Hongkong Telegraph")

Was Too Vivid

Why Ark Royal Floats

HERLIN, Dec. 27 (Router) .... The Nazi Ministry of Informa-tion, headed by Dr. Goebbels, has now explained why the British

nireraft-carrier, Ark Royal, is

In a bundout on Tuesday night, a Concerning station announced that Ger- [7]

many never claimed to have aunk the the Ark Royal. She had merely asked in where the aircraft carrier was.

The Nazis, said the announcer,

secold never give but information [4]

which was not true. They, therefore, if could not have claimed to have sunk a the Ark Royal.

Unfortunately for 'Dr. Goebbels, illustrates all over the world have the heard to the centrary.

and it was said: "It is clearly en-tablished that the Ark Royal was

The same broadcast described the Ark Royal as "like a gigantic torch I lighting up the rea" and it was said that when dawn broke the next day the Ark Royal had disappeared, leaving only a huge pall of smoke to mark the spot where she once had

destroyed."

- Nazis Try To Explain

You will remember that Nazi Leading-Aircraftman Francke received promotion and the Iron Cross (1st and 2nd Class) for outstanding courage in the face of the enemy. He had "sunk" the British aircraft-carrier Ark Royal. Said Goering. Said Goebbels. Said Hitler. And Die Wehrmacht, German news-magazine, illustrated the war's most extraordinary featthe Sinking of a Warship that is Still Afloat. "A 1,2001b. bomb hits the enemy vessel," it is headed, and the artist gives his "impression" of a direct hit ending the life of the Ark Royal. "All the attacking planes," of course, "returned safely to their bases."

Willy makes

money out of Adolf

WILLIAM PATRICK HIT-LER (Willy), Adolf's Britishborn nephew, who is touring the United States and making big money with a series of lectures i i "What the German people are thinking," sent a letter to a friend in London recently, and enclosed the prospectus of his

His agents, Harold R. Peat, of New York, say in their announcements that Willy Hitler "presents the startling story of the real Germany hid-den by Nazi fictions."

tour.

Willy is the son of Adolf's halfbrother Alois, a Berlin restourant-keeper. His mother is Irish. Fie was educated in England, and went to live in Germany shortly after Hitler came to power in 1933. He and his mother went to the United

States last February. Adolf. Relented

The announcements of his lecture

"William Hitler has had stormy relations with his uncle. At first, for political reasons, Adolf Hitler denied that they were blood relatives.

"When William published articles at his father's request to correct certain mis-statements about his family, Hitler summoned him and his father to his hotel, and in an hysterical interview threatened to kill himself if anything more was published concerning his family

"Hitler relented a little when William went to live in Germany." But Hitler became enraged when his nephew refused to obey commands, and at their final interview paced backwards and forwards, with a horsehide whip in his hands, threatening him.

Willy's mother says that Adolf was known in the family as "a man with a big mouth and a little hand." Her son predicts that the Nazi State cannot stand more than nine

months of war. Alois Hitler was a walter in Dublin when he first met Willy's mother, a farmer's daughter. Three years after their redding he deserted her | nt Liverpool, and married bigamously in Germany.

THE "TELEGRAPH"

will send a Staff Photographer to all events of public Requests interest. should be addressed to the Pictorial Editor.

### Materials NAZI shipbuilding yards

Nazis Short

engaged on the construction of U-boats are short of skilled labour and material.

Men and

The Stettin yard, which is engaged exclusively on naval work, has had to increase working hours. Only in this way is he yard able to keep up its turnover. The lack of skilled men Imagination

Krupps, too, according to reports from German sources, are experiencing the same difficulty. Another yard affected is the famous Blohm and Voss concern at Hamburg.

Ships Undelivered At the outbreak of war there was a large number of ships under construction in German yards for for-eign countries in exchange for frozen credits. Many of these vessels are still undelivered owing to the lack

Germany's claims that she can balance her submarine losses by new boats are vastly exaggerated. She also claims that in 1917 her U-boat output was one a day and that she expects to improve on that production.

In actual fact the production of German submarines in 1917 did not approach the figure they claim. For the whole of that year the number commissioned was only 87, varying between four and 12 per month.

Shipbuilding experts with whom have discussed the question and who know the German yards intimately are convinced that the Nazis cannot possibly produce more than six U-boats each month under favourable conditions. And they are being sunk at that rate by the Allied navies.

## 1.000.000 War Finance

AMSTERDAM.

plan of war finance cannot

get going. Though Germany has today more than 1,000,000 women seeking husbands have inworkless, skilled labour is

lacking everywhere. These 1,000,000 unemployed official figures, naturally, do skilled labour really critical. not admit the real total-are not workers in heavy industry.

They are employed in trades supplying the consumption goods employment in Germany, which have now been rationed. remedy the lack of skilled labour.

not by transfers from the underemployed trades, but by increasing

Overwork Strain

working hours.

So disastrous was the effect on men already worn down by wartime speeding-up and shortage of food that the shorter hours had to be re-

One glance at the death notices in the papers published in industrial executed a young girl student in towns shows to what tragic heights Warsaw on a charge of having defactory accidents are rising. As from January 1 onwards, there- to reports received here. fore, working hours may not exceed!

10 a day unless special permission is The Reich Labour Control Office is further to investigate whether the workers can stand even a 10-hour

day on war rations. It is empowered to reduce them again if this proves to be necessary -and in any case overtime has to be described by the Germans as paid after eight hours.

Night work for women, and youths HITLER'S much-vaunted has been stopped altogether, their health was suffering so much.

Many women, indeed, are trying to avoid war-time factory work altogether by getting married.

Matrimonial advertisements by creased so amazingly that in some newspapers there are whole pages of

All these circumstances are making the already existing shortage of

Vigorous attempts have been made to recruit skilled Dutch workless for

But they have met with little suc-The Nazl regime had tried to cess: since the war the number of

#### Germans Execute Girl Student

BUDAPEST.

The Germans have imprisoned and faced anti-British posters, according-

The posters deplet war ruins and wounded civilians on one side and Mr. Chamberlain on the other. Underneath is the caption: "England, you have done this." Practi-cally every poster, however, has the word "England" defaced.

The girl student's execution was example to others."

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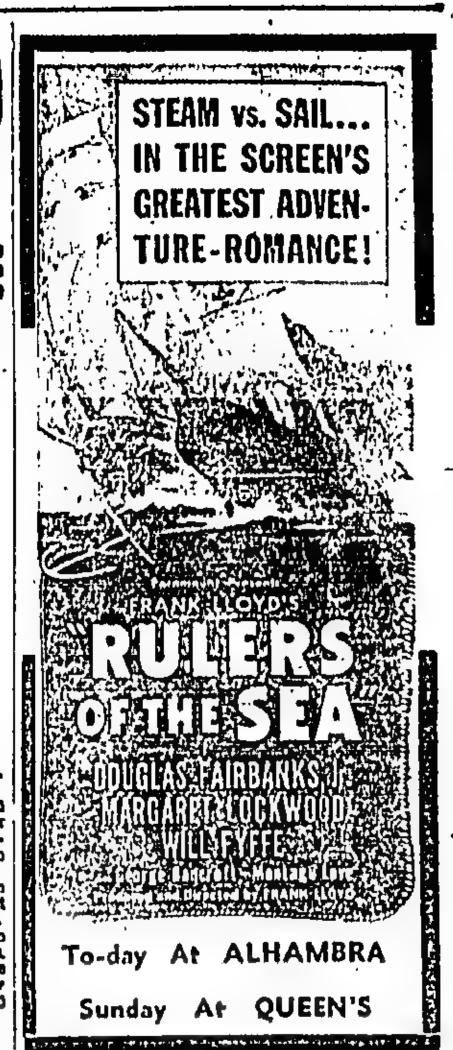
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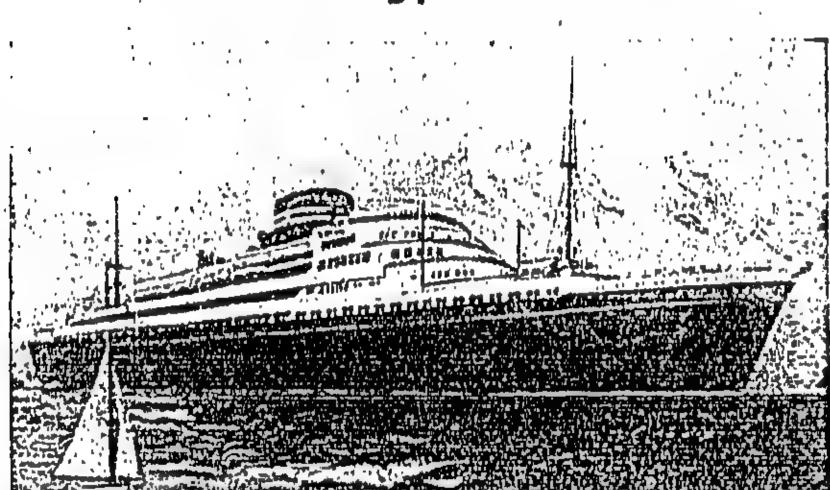
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Worth Remembering

THE taste of burnt milk can be re-

**4** moved by adding to the milk

whilst still hot a pinch of salt and a

is added to the blue water when

washing clothes there will be no

To shine shoes quickly do not

For dirty marks on distempered

Medleine stains on silver spoons

should be rubbed off with methylated

spirit. Afterwards wash the spoons

. Marks caused by hard water on

white porcelain baths can be re-

Olive oil is a safe and suitable

all sorts of oxydised metals and

TRY a large, chopped onion with

take in a slow oven about 1/2 hour,

brown or blacken. Rub over with a

If a small piece of washing soda

len coating.

pinch of daster sugar.

more streaky marks.

dipped in fine salt.

TO-DAY, with our changing ing notions of hygiene and health, and especially with our greater possibility with our greater possibility.

Anthony

Sufferer—but, as I said before, a visit to the doctor is the wise prelude. The doctor may decide to hasten the calcium treatment by a short course of "colloidal calcium" injections. He may decide (especially in the case of over-fat and rather is made with pearls of deep rose.

The most fashionable neckdaces, the most fashionable neckdaces. ing, the chilblain is far less evident than formerly.

erop of annoyance for so many we cannot afford to ignore it.

It is easy enough to say what a chilblain is, but it is by no means Remedies? so easy to say, medically speaking, what causes it. Patches of skin at the leg, and even sometimes on the blains? ears) react in a highly exaggerated. There is a considerable amount. So far I have not said a word what makes them do this is another simple home measures first.

#### Theories

ably very close to the truth. A a wise step, shortage of calcium in the blood. A visit to a milk bar for an extra ample supply of vitamins—which boyant gold and gem jewellery.

tion between chilblains and a pos- fish, eggs, milk and butter). sible predisposition towards tuber- Now the chilblain itself must be chilblains. culosis.

#### First Step

is well known that certain conditions or lostex).

docrine imbalance (such as that the treatment lies in applying hot the early winter-months. cular predisposition; 'any one of the skin is healed, ditions of health may have to be which car be done for the chronic benefit by a mineral tonic.

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Liver and bacon pic—One pound When cold spread on bread or of liver several allers of bacon some Clink, LAGI.

The notice issued in Orders No. 15 dated December 23, regarding students who passed an examination at the Central Fire Station is hereby cancelled and the following substituted:

Examination Results.—The following passed a Special A.R.P. Fire Brigade Examination, recently held, as under:

Fire Brigade Instructors: Mr. Chung Wing-kwong, Mr. Ng Hong-yat, Mr. Wong Wal-tsol, Mr. Ki Iu-woon and Mr. Wong Part-ba

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#### Strength-Increase

Wardens -- Miss Yuen Lin-sheung, Chan-Luen-po, Pang Yik-kay, So Hing-nam, Li Wing, Miss Wong Yuk-yu, Yuen Hongchal, Li Siu-long, Leung Pul-kwan, Wong The Institution, which maintains a members of lifeboat crews. The Sik-hung, Tang Tak-yu, Leung Siu-bun, fleet of lifeboats and life-saving ap- Institution put into service 17 new Li Siu-cheong, Miss Lui Sin-kwan, Yeung paratus round British coasts and is motor lifeboats and there are now served by fisherman crews, is it is of these and is sailing lifeboats. Chung Chun-pong, Tso Yiu-kwan, Ling entirely supported by voluntary constantion put into service 17 new paratus round British coasts and is motor lifeboats and there are now served by fisherman crews, is it is it is the coasts.—British Wireless, in Change Bull-chief Main War Laure tributions. During 1939, 1,356 lives coatsts.—British Wireless, in, Chan Bul-chuck, Muk Wai, Leung were saved, constituting a record in Chung-sang, Miss Luk Yun-foon, Leung the history of the Institution, the Chi-wan, Lau Ying-yeung, Cheong Chung-previous highest figure being 1,348 in ving. Pak Lok-tin, He Hung-chu, Miss 1917. In order to effect these res-Tong Sau-man, Miss Wong Yuet-ping, Ng Tang Sau-man, Miss Wong Yuct-ping, Ng Bun-chuen, Wong Chik-chee, Miss Cheng Wal-ying, Miss Pun Fal-fun, Miss Tsang Shuk-yee, Hung Hau-kwok, Miss Ho Yuon-han, Lam Ting-kwong, Yeung Tak-wah, Low Hon, Li Chiu-yuon, Law Kwan-chick, Ho Chiu-fong, Law Pul-sang, Cheng Wal-bear Chith Del-lah Miss Ma Factorial ber 2 boats here been out 411 times

(agd) H. W. Leyden,

tackled strenuously before hoping to a course of galvanie hand or foot put the blood stream and its years baths, But as it produces a winter into such a buoyant state that win- In feet or leg chilblains he may ter cold and damp will spell exhibara- recommend bandaging the legs (as tion rather than painful itchy masses in varieose veins) to help a rather

But what is the poor sufferer to do directly on the affected chilbiains, certain areas (on the toes, the fingers right now who finds himself rubbing the sides of the feet, either side of and scratching at hot painful chil- Common Sense

manner to severe cold or damp. But that he can do, Let us take the about what we might call the com-

turned down the theory of calcium vention of chilblains that I wanted shortage as the origin of the trouble to leave it last for emphasis, there is not doubt whatever that The essential factor making for There have been many theories, giving calcium works wonders in the prevention and cure of chil-The popular notion that chilbiains many cases. And so a visit to the blains might be grouped in the folare due to a poor circulation is prob- chemist for some calcium tablets is lowing list:

was blamed for the trouble for a half to one pint of milk daily (to signifies plenty of milk, fresh fruit while, but recent research has secure a very easily assimilated and vegetables. proved that in most case, no short- form of calcium) makes another. Sufficiently warm clothing to prewise step. But it must be remem- vent sudden chilling at any time. Some selentists contend that the bered that for proper calcium ab- Warm and sufficiently toose stock- of-pearl the size and shape of a root of the matter has in a delayed sorption we need Vitamin D, to look ings and gloves-the silk-stocking mussel are strung on a thick silk clotting power of the blood. And to your winter sources of this pre- wearer who has failed to discover the cord. In others the mother-of-pe, rl French medical minds see a connect clous vilamin (fish-liver, oils, fatty cheap flesh-coloured woollen under- is cut in a fancy design, or is shaped

attended to. If the skin is un- Adequate indoor-heating-parents Droken the following makes an old should insist on some form of cenand useful remedy. Steep the tral heating in every school that can affected part in a bowl containing afford it. A child or young person who, is equal parts of hydrogen peroxide. Shoes with stant soles impervious pearl are interspersed with pearls and repeatedly affected by chilblains (15 vols.) and boiling water for to cold and damp-this applies esshould be thoroughly overhauled by from 5 to 10 minutes once a day, pecially to children who, change into a doctor as a first step toward, ie- Dry thoroughly and friction gently, slippers during school hours covery. For although we have not Then apply a stimulating ointment. Fresh air-ventilation in winter yet pinned down the actual cause, it (such as methyl salicylate olutment is perhaps of even greater import-

chilblain; have a way of vanishing does not stain) or with a paint of skating and cycling.

extract is called for. He may order

Thursday,

feeble circulation in its work. And more than likely he will wish to give his patient a course of ultra-violet ray treatment, both generally and

mon sense treatment of chilblains. Although above we seem to have This is so bound up with the pre-

stockings for winter deserves her like an oyster, with a tiny pearl fixed

ance than in summer. of ill-health are frequently found in . If this is carried out at night, the . Indoor and outdoor exercise-exassociation with chilbiains, and if chilbiain may be painted in the cellent "chilbiain" exercises melude

Frim's Balsam and menthol (which Sunlight—every possible ray of Under-nourishment; any source of can be purchased at any chemist's), natural sunshine should be absorbedchronic infection (such as eptic Of course, it is quite a different during the summer, and perhaps a tonsils, decayed teeth, etc.); en- matter if the ikin is broken. Then course of sun-ray treatment token in

stipation; any mild kidney or heart on clean lint. And more vigorous the thin over-energetic child may condition, and, possibly, a tuber- treatment may be tried later when need the fattening comfort of the good old cod-liver oil, whereas the these or similar "below par" con- There is yet a tremendous amount plump, lazy dreamer may stand to

#### Hints For Butter And Cheese Economy

like magic. Here is an excellent way your fillings, and economy can be

Take 1 lb, of salt butter and 12 lb, and ends from the larder, transporting, Add a little more salt. Sliced-onion-and-potatoes, raw-or and mix the two well together with cooked, boiled macaroni, hard-boiled your butter-pats, and you will find egg, grated cheese, and minced ham the mixture a very good and cheap will not only make a filling go far-

Damage Reports to the proper authorities. To "spin out" your margarine is Rames of volunteers should be forwarded to the AJLP Department, Lower Albert also quite simple. Here is an To "spin out" your margarine is tasty. , efficacious, method,

Take 1 desertspoon cornflour and Practical Course Examination - The following breakfast cup milk. Break the Instructors qualified for the cornflour down to a smooth paste with the milk, then place both in pan, and bring slowly to the boil, stirring all the time. When cold,

#### Cheese Paste

Here is a good way of making

16, cheese go nearly as far as 1 lb.! Forthcoming Lectures in Chinese for Break down I dessertspoon cornflour salt. Bone the fish, line a well-Wardens—Chinese Chamber of Commerce, to a smooth paste with 12 teaspoon buttered dish with potato slices, on Connaught Road. Impressed Wednesdays

> When cold spread on bread or toast instead of butter,

# Saved

The exceptionally heavy demands made upon the services of the Royal National Lifeboat Institution during the past four months owing to the brutal and indiscriminate use of the linguistic brutal and linguistic brutal and the linguistic brutal and linguist brutal and linguistic brutal and linguistic brutal and linguist London, Jan. 3. mines and torpedoes by Germany are rich brown. The following having qualified are post- reflected in a review published today of the year's work of this great voluntary society.

The Institution, which maintains a members of lifeboat crews. The consequent rescues have been effect-Wal-hee, Chui Pel-lak, Miss Ng Fook-yu, and have rescued 1,101 persons, an Chiu Kwan-yuk and Miss Law In-fong. average of 64 each war week. Twenty-four medals for gallantry

these conditions are removed, the morning with vasogen locline (which skipping, tap-dancing ballet-dancing,

by a thyroid gland de-bydrogen peroxide compresses, fol- Avoidance of constitution. fleiency); anternia; chronic con- lowed by a soothing ointment spread. Winter tonics where necessary-

#### Savoury Filling For Pies

**FF** you have learnt the knack of cork tightly, and use this solution as ARP Orders by Wing-Commander A. H. S. Steeles-Perkins, oass, Director of And girls, the butter disappears vous fillings, and economy can be 🚢 making a ple-crust you need required. served in a quite agreeable way by lexing out meat and fish with odds

ther, but also make your pie more lemon.

To make steak and potato pie you almonds and surround with water- with grated cheese and return to the require one pound of stewing steak, cress or lettuce leaves, a large raw potato, two tomatoes and seasoning. Trim the steak, cut it up, roll the pieces well in flour and sea-|soning, and stew till tender. Lay in a dish, alternating meat with thinly sliced potato and tomato. Pour in the gravy, cover when cool with a nice crust, and bake for an hour in

a moderate oven. Fish and egg pie—Ore pound of cooked cod, two hard-bolled eggs, two boiled potatoes, some thick white Cut it ib, cheese into small pieces, sauce, a pinch of mace, pepper, and

of liver, several slices of bacon, some good dripping, mashed potatoes and one onion. Grease a pic-dish, put in thinly-sliced liver, finely chopped onion, some potate and seasoning.
Dot with bits of dripping, repeat the
layers, and bake three-quarters of
an hour. Then make a crust with mashed potato, a little flour and dripping, cover and brown.

Swiss pie-A pound of cooked veal, two ounces each of cooked vermicelli and cold ham, a little grated cheese, some while sauce, salt,

were awarded during the year to



### New Necklaces

NIECKLACES are to be short, heavy, and claborate this season. Plain beads seem to have gone out of favour with the exception of pearls, and these are not worn in

single strings. When seed pearls are used some necklaces are made up of as many as six rows. Where larger pearls are

however, are much more "barbarie" than these. Heavy gold chains have large clusters of enamelled leaves and flowers, small, flat gold plates cut leaf-shaped, or fligreed gold balls hanging from them.

Jewellery sets comprising necklace, bracelet, brooch, and ear-rings in gold thickly loaded with pearls or enametted flowers are also popular, One set been recently was decorated: with large, smoky pearls set in the form of bunches of grapes; while in another the necktaer and bracelet consisted of four rows of small blue dalsies set on gold links, with a brooch and ear-rings of blue datsies on gold to match.

Charming neckinees and bracelets are also made of oxidised metal medallions in a conventional floral design, atrung together on a thin chain. These, while being in the most up-to-date tradition, have the advantage of being more easily worn A full varied winter diet with an by some people than the more flam-From France come shell necklaces

> the new outsize form. In some of these pieces of mother-

of various kinds, but all of them in

There are some necklaces made up of pearl shells with small scarlet cowrie shells lying in them, and some in which the pieces of mother-of-

Small pearl-tinted periwinkle shells form other necklaces.

### House Hints

FPO remove mould from furniture 👢 put two teaspoonfuls ammonia into a pint of boiling water and piece of orange, let the juice dry on, sponge until clear. Wipe dry, and then polish in the usual way. pollsh quieldy with a rag moistened with polish to which oil of lavender walls, make a paste of fuller's earth

and water. Spread it well over the has been added. To eleph a soiled clothes line, wrap stains and leave to dry. Remove isvith a coarse flannel cloth. it round a washboard, and scrub with soap and water. Rinse under the tap and dry out of doors, Stiff paint brushes will again become pliable if somed bristle-deep in in hot sompy water. vinegar that is heated almost to boil-

ing point. . . moved by rubbing with a cut lemon To renovate winter dresses and hats, first dissolve one dessertspoonful of table salt in half-pint cold water. Add one teaspoonful each of medium for polishing and cleaning vinegar, methylated spirit, ammonia, should always be used for bronze and guin water, and mix moroughly together. Pour into a bottle and and chromium.

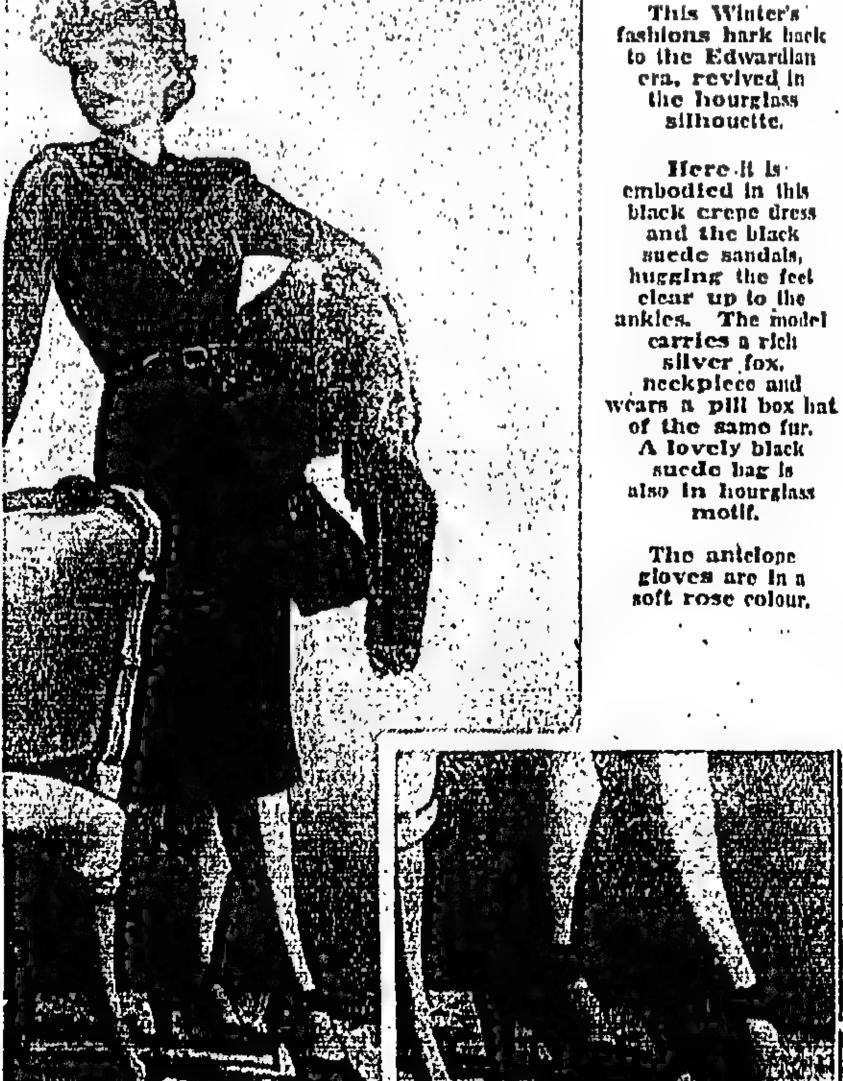
#### \_G. G. T. | Liver And Spaghetti

PRUNE SALAD PRUNE salad makes a delicious ac- 1 ib. liver cut into thin slices, companiment to cold meat dishes. toss them in seasoned flour and fry Soak 15 lb, prunes overnight in 15 the liver till nicely browned.
pt. water and then stew them slowly Then place all in a ple-dish and

in the water in which they have season with chopped parsies and been soaked with the addition of 1/2 more salt and pepper if necessary. Oz. sugar and the juice of half a Add 1 cupful sliced tomatoes and When tender, pass the prunes | Cook 4 ozs, spaghetti in builing Here are some recipes for savoury through a sieve and pile the purce salted water till tender. Drain it in a dish Sprinkle with chopped and spread over the liver, sprinkle

shown at right.

oven for 10 minutes longer,



## Crossword Puzzle

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9—Freed from restraint
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11—Unit of weight

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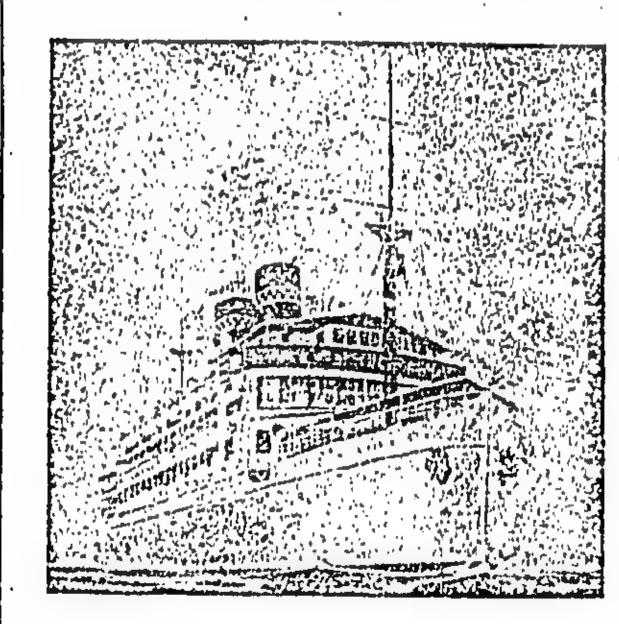
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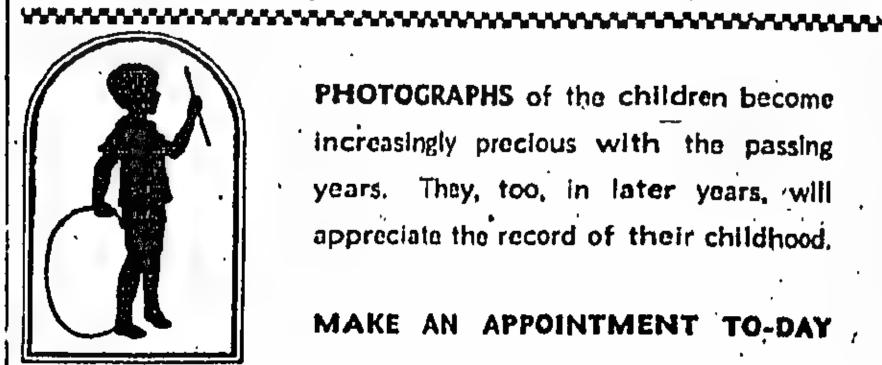
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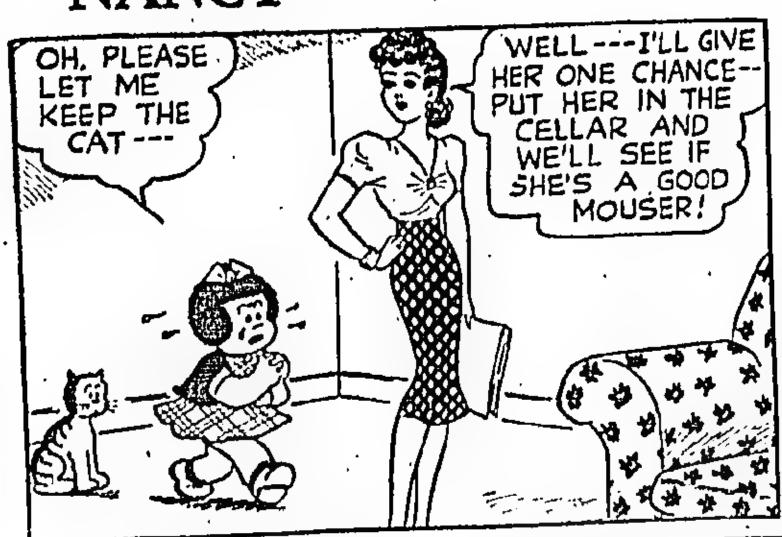
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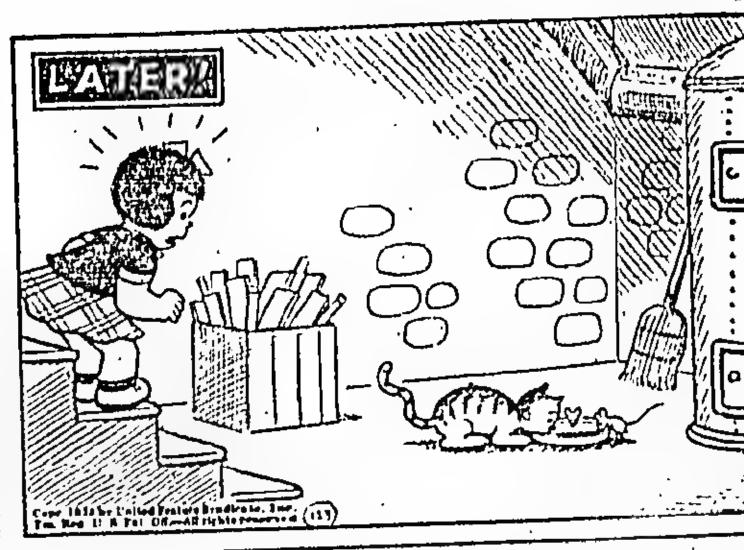
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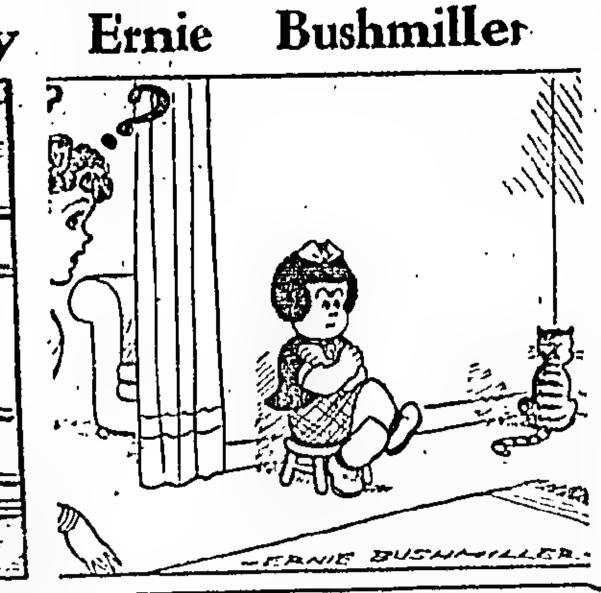
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### NANCY







# HIMSELF

GERMAN flying officer ' brought down in the North Sea during a raid on Britain is believed to have committed suicide rather than endure any longer the misery of long exposure in the water.

His was one of two dirmen's bodies washed up in Nosfolk, one at Happisburgh, the other at Mundesley, seven miles away. Both had been in the water about three days.

The body at Mundesley, which was in an inflated-life jacket, had a bullet would in the temple. As there was also an empty revolver holster it is thought probable the

man shot himself. The body at Happisburgh had bullet wounds in the eye and leg-These were probably received during an air engagement, for an automa-t tic pistol was in the dead man's Askey's parody of "Run, Rabbit, pocket. It would have been impos- Hun," It has been supplied by sible for him to replace this after the B.B.C. turning it on himself.

AMONG the millions who listen-in to "Big-Hearted" Arthur Askey when he makes his cracks at "Old Nasty," there is one who does not laugh any more. She is Mrs. Askey.

"It's because the missus loves me a lot," he said. "She's got the idea that Hitler has branded me as his Public Enemy No. 1 and will get his Gestapo to bump

The King, through his Comptroller, asked for a copy of

A Diversion

"Britain's 'superior navy,' said

Then comes the method of

surprise attack-mass landing by

"An advance detachment of storm-

"The third 'wave' brings a greater

parachute.

## HITLER THREAT: 1066 (all ) AGAIN?

HITLER throws his last card on the poker table of Europe. It is a blood-curdling threat to send the German Navy through a lane of German mines to England and to land on her coasts the first foreign army since William the Conqueror did the trick in

Nazi suicide squads would Recently the Deutsche Wehr, journal float down by parachute to seize of the fighting forces, gave some idea England's power stations. Goer- of how it might be done-on paper. ing's air squadrons would pound

Here is a notion that makes an the article, "might well be met by Here is a notion that makes an the article, "might well be met by urgent appeal to the man who the attackers' own fleet, by prepared to the man who the attackers' own fleet, by prepared no more islands now."

that Hitler's new tactic is to scare also create diversion to draw the one officer and 22 ratings are Britain into peace. attack cannot long be delayed. Ger-

troops and engineers, lightly armed, man frontier. Where will the blow fall?

ovith the rapidity of inovenient forcements are dropped in the same 1,375 tons. Her normal complement titude to adopt:-

gests that German troop movements may be intended for the present to try our nerves, but-

depends on skill and offensive surge. "There is one very sinister feature And the place where the concentration is most intense-except on the French front-is on the Dutch fron-

(German Commander-in-Chief) . intends to put into practice the old pre-1914 plan of invading Belgium through the Maestricht Appendix (that strip of Holland that juts down between Belgium and Germany) and

fications.

Low Countries were staged the op-

posite would be the case. bitten by the same germ nearly 140 will entch it instead.

reporter in Copenhagen, says that And the Dutch Government state German frontier—is packed with her wealthy first husband, Paul arrested on charges concerning his Danish reporters were treated to the with official blitheness that there is troops and prepared for any move. Nicolet.

nows that "I. Hitler is massing a great army land. and a fleet in north-west German

ports.

a new one in , the German -mind. | Basic itself-it lies on the French- Just fifty-seven."

# Gestapo

All last week Big's wife was besecching him to "lay-off" Hit-

me off in the black-out.

By CHARLES FOLEY

London to the dust.

shouted to the Reichstag, "There are rows of mines, by submarine flotillas and so on. In fact, the line of at-And the fact that the plan is wild- tack might be along a sort of lane ly impracticable supports the belief sheltered by both sides. One could was lost with 120 lives. Only across the river.

main weight of naval defence to an- known to have escaped. When this move fails—the big other sector." man divisions are massed at war strength from the North Sea to Switzerland-along 700 miles of Ger-

are landed by parachute. They Lieut.-Commander R. C. H. White, The Daily Express military corres- draw a cordon round the chosen was a destroyer of the "Defender" pondent says there is only one atplace of attack; they block all roads class, built under the 1930 pro-

possible to-day we must be ready way carrying heavier arms. for anything—and we must not be surprised if nothing happens." number of troops with light tanks and flame throwers in large transport at the last port of call for medical The military correspondent sugplanes, which land. Once a foothold treatment. is gained the success of the invasion Eight Torpedo Tubes

After that a significant footnote: The Duchess carried four 4.7-inch this time. The troop moves come at "The attacker would, of course guns, six smaller guns, and eight 21a time when Germany is charging time the enterprise to coincide with inch torpedo tubes.

Belgium with unneutral conduct. other operations especially mass air inch torpedo tubes. other operations especially mass air . She was built at Palmer's Yard, Note the expression "of course." Because the important German Zeitung, declared that England gave her a speed of 35.5 knots. newspaper Deutsche Allgemeine "This may mean that Brauchitsch |

way as the Romans crushed the lost since war began. The others, lision:---Carthaginians-"by destroying the the Blanche and the Gipsy, were enemy's capital." Altogether the uttack direct on last month off the British coast. so turning the Belgian frontier forti- England sheds a fascinating sidelight in China Incidents on German wish-thinking-cum-procations.

"The report that German headpaganda. But Germany's neutral relighbours are not to be deluded of incidents in Chinese waters—the quarters are at Godesberg on the neighbours are not to be deluded of incidents in Chinese waters—the

Rhine bodes no good for Beigium again. They believe the thrust will August Navy List gave her as become elsewhere. "On the other hand, one fact BELGIUM believes that the first China. makes an immediate attack less attack will fall on Holland. One In March, 1938, while moored at

longing to the 21st Destroyer Flotilia, likely. This is that there are at pre- reason for this is that all German Hongkong she was damaged above sent lewer troops in the north than gold deposits in Holland have been the water-line when a Japanese on the Saar. If a big attack on the withdrawn and sent to Denmark. Dutch Happy

Hitler's grandlose plan for the in- HOLLAND is not really worried. vasion of England-Napoleon was The Dutch recken that the Belgians Geoffrey Cox, Daily Express Staff

troop concentrations on the Dutch stroyer, H.M.S. Daring, at Foochow, Berne, to 80 years' jail. no sign of 'n German threat to Hol- AND FRANCE? Well here's a true

SWITZERLAND is a little nervous. The 120,000 French people of and also with murdering his stepson, found in it, says the British United Ian Fraser, Daily Express correspon- Nancy, which lies only an hour's Mourice Nicolet, aged 9. The Fuchrer's mysterious daily dent in Basic, says that when tele- drive behind the Maginet Line, were talks with his war staff concern plans phone communication between Swit- told that.. evacuation plans, were ment. night Swiss soldiers on holiday How many do you think took ad. Maurice Nicolet, arrived on a farm guided them to the boy's bones was to deposit an overwhelming force in zerland and Germany was cut last ready, if they wished to leave. The idea of invading Britain is not hurriedly returned to report. . vantage of the offer?

# THE THEFT I

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

NEW YORK.

SUPER-WARPLANES are made available to France and England through the American War Department's relaxation of their rigid ban on the export of new types of aircraft.



This was announced in an Ad- follows:

miralty communique, which stated

that the Duchess had been in col-

lision with another vessel of the

H.M.S. Duchess, commanded by

Two ratings had been left behind

Jarrow, and completed in January,

sleamer collided with her.

allowed to proceed.

the scene and the Ranpura was

Fleet, which was undamaged.

U.S. designers in Los Angeles, centre of the industry, declared that they are now free to sell fighters which will travel at 460 miles an hour or more, and bombers with a speed and range greater than any foreign bomber now in the air.

Most important is Lockheed's secret twinengined interceptor which has flown across the American continent at a top speed of 460 miles an hour, and which its makers claim can go even faster.

ROYAL OAK SURVIVOR MARRIED

survivor of the Royal Oak, with his bride, Miss Winifred Packe. after their wedding at St. Gabriefs, Warwicksquare, S.W.

Names Of Survivors

J. R. Pritchard, R.N.V.R.

A. (Chief Stoker).

both sunk by mines within a week passmore, G. (Ord. Seamon).

Ratings: Adams, Jack (A.B.),

Cogger, Donald W. (Chief Petty

class); Dodds, John E. (Ord. Sen-

man); Durling, Alfred H. (Lead.

Scaman); Hale, Kenneth R.

Other types now free for ex-| port include:-

A bullet-nosed low-wing pursuit plane, developed by Vultee, which manoeuvres at speeds ranging from 360 to more than 400 miles an hour.

A medium-sized bomber by Douglas, which is claimed to be the fastest bomber in the air. Douglas still refuse to release details of the performance of this plane; and

An attack bornber—also by Douglas—which is claimed to be 20 i per cent, better than any European

Secret Records

The Douglas Commany are now working on a single-engined dive bomber which is said to have broken all performance records in closely guarded secret tests at their factory. Lockheed's twin-engined plane, the Y8-38, was so striking in its potentialities that the U.S. Army Air Corps Some of These Sallors for the model before its tests were

Through the co-operation of the American High Command-ail-these. planes and three other secret models will be made available to Allied purchasers. All are ready to be built THE British destroyer Duchess after the Japanese had placed booms in any quantity to order.

### Names of survivors are given as Army's Health Officer: Probationary Lieutenant Satisfactory

Crowther, George (Stoker 1st British Army for the year 1937, lissued recently, it is stated that the general health of the troops during the year under review has been most

(A.B.); Harris. Geoffrey (A.B.); satisfactory. There was a decrease in the rate of Jenkins, Ivan E. (A.B.); Lawrence, Charles II. (A.B.); Lowthorpe, admission to hospital of 14.1 a thou-John E. (A.B.).: McHardy, Robert sand, compared with the provious (Lead. Scaman); Merry, Charles year, and the admission rate was R. (A.B.); Moir, Harry (Lead, only 21.5 a thousand higher than that Seaman); Proctor. Walter R. (Ord. of 1935, the lowest recorded since the

Seamon); Rateliffe, Trever (A.B.); Great War. Robertson, William (A.B.); Thur- The death ratio of 1.97 a thousand, ley, Clarence (Telegraphist); Too- and the ratio of 6.80 a thousand for tel Thomas (Stoker Petty Officer); invalids discharged from the Service Smith, Alfred (A.B.); Swinhow, are the lowest ever recorded since Emest (Ord. Scaman); Willy, John the Great War.

.The number of officers admitted to The following two ratings were hospital shows an admission ratio of Her 36,000 horse power engines left ashore for medical treatment at 187.3 a thousand of the strength comthe ship's last port of call and were pared with 220.4 a thousand in 1936 could only be crushed in the same The Duchess is the third destroyer not on board at the time of the col- and 197.8 in 1935. The deaths were Anderson, R. (Petty Officer); pared with 5.43 a thousand in 1936

CANADIAN Mounted Police, guided by a rough Last May, after a Japanese map, made by a man 6,000 miles away, discovered the crulser had stopped the P. and O. hones of a murdered boy on the Grand Prairie Trail. This find was mentioned when | On September 21, 1935, Maurice

Nicolet vanished. Then, in June, she was reported to a Swiss woman, Mrs. Schupbach, than collecting men on the Reporter m Amsterdam, cannot con- be "blockeded" with another, de- was sentenced at Bienne, near French coast—was confided to neu- firm those reports of heavy German at was reported to was sentenced at Bienne, near She plended guilty to murdering

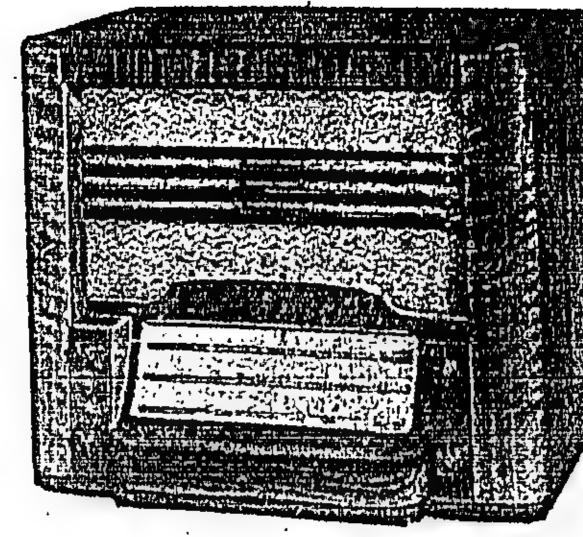
Her second husband, Ernst Schup- The body of Mrs. Schupbach's first bach, was charged as an accomplice, husband was exhumed. Cyanide was

packed up and returned to Switzer-In November, 1937, Schupbach was

Three months later the Schupbachs

The Swiss naked the Canadian Mounted Police to investigate the Mr. and Mrs. Schupbach. with death of Maurice. The map which

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## PREPARING SURPRISE FOR NAZIS

By DAVID SCOTT

News Chronicle War Correspondent witth the French Forces

FRANCE.

IF Hitler and his generals should think of trying to turn the Maginot Line by an attack through Switzerland, severe shocks await them.

During the last few days I have seen the French defences along the Rhine from Basle to a point half-way down to Strasbourg, opposite the crucial point of Basle itself and along the Jura mountain range which flanks the French-Swiss frontier between Basle and Geneva.

I can certify that any attempt to push westward from Basle through what is commonly known as the Belfort Gap, or through the Rhone Valley past Geneva towards Lyons, will find the French defences as strong and the French Army as ready to meet it as in any other sector between the Alps and the English Channel.

Along the Rhine itself the Maginot. The last section of this line is held system has long been prepared to and is being daily strengthened by resist a German offensive, This Moorish troops—a sure sign that part of the famous line is less cla- this is a vital sector. borate than the defences between the I saw these Arab cavalrymes, with Rhine and the Mosello, chiefly be- nothing to distinguish them from crease working hours.

cause the ground, lying at a lower French soldiers now except their The workers are grumbling—and level than the Rhine itself behind its dark faces and tight khaki turbans the quality of their work is sufferhigh embankments, is swampy and often worn under a steel helmet, ing. deep digging is useless.

#### Strong Forts

Any claborate tunnels here would times accompanying these simple be constantly flooded or would need activities with wild, Oriental sing-Nazi claim that she can balance her an impossibly complicated pumping ing. system to keep them dry, but this flat ground can be as well defended French major, who had served long by numerous powerful blockhouses. each a small fort in itself, whose machine-guns and anti-tank guns sweep the intervening spaces.

In an anonymous village on the was suddenly broken by loud volleys of machine-gun fire, but the Arab Rhine bank, formerly a meeting | soldiers took no notice, their complace for French and Germans, found contact with the enemy oppo- manding officer jerked his head site more close and the atmosphere southwards with a hugh. of profound peace more unbroken than at any other point in this do a lot of practice. That and our gan, strange theatre of "war."

As usual we drove up to within a hear in these parts." few hundred yards of the front line in motor-cars, hidden from the enemy by camouflage netting hung between the trees.

#### Wthin Yards Of Enomy

As usual, we walked without any attempt at concealment along a path between the thickets on the river bank, through a wooden shed, whose far side stood open towards Germany and finally to a spot on the towpath where only 150 yards of rushing muddy water at a similar towpath opposite separated us from the German Army.

pushing a way through queer cooked, three and a half feathery grasses and thorn bushes loaded with poisonous orange berlies, we found ourselves in a block-house on the river's bank. This was range from 1s 2d to 2s 1d machine guns in its loopholes and according to cuts. machine rifles ready to fire through the slits in its observation turret.

#### Anti-Tank Guns

Inside the fort were white enamelled walls neat ammunition racks, on the premises. firing charts, and apple-pie oreverywhere. A communication trench had been dug to the back. (with anti-tank guns as well machine-guns) farther back from the river, a highly-trained crew waited with tremendous confidence butter was allowed during the last to shotter an enemy attack or hold war. out in the fort, if need be to the

Between the southern end of the Vosges mountains and the Jura range, which follow the Swiss frontier, is a wide space of open country known geographically as the Belfort

This opening in the natural ramparts of France has always tempted invaders and has often been successfully held against them.

#### Lion As Symbol

In the war of 1870 the Prussians entered Paris, but fulled to take | Belfort, whose famous Lion, hewn in the red rock of the cliadel, symbolises the valour of its de-

cnders. To-day, the Belfort Gap is closed not only by Vauban's immense but obsolete fortifications, but by piles of barbed wire, scores of blockhouses on the Maginot model, and a great belt of steel defences built between that and the Rhine since this war

French soldiers and engineers have made great use of the long respite given, them by Nazi healtation. Through these weeks they have worked hard to make the plain of Alsace and the Belfort Gap impassa-Every day that passes makes their

#### success more certain now. Coloured Troops Work

All along the enstward escarpment of the Vosges and right down to the outskirts of Basic itself, where the Swiss frontier is marked every 50 yards by boards painted in the Swiss colours, a zone of steel fortifications several mlies deep, including innumerable tank traps and newly made concrete blockhouses and backed by the original Maginot system, bars the way to an invador.

Shortage Of Materials

# BUILDING

By A Naval Correspondent THE Nazi's U-boat plan is

getting out of gear. Before the war began Hitler's naval experts assured him that there would always he enough U-boats to make it impossible for Britain to receive sufficient food from

Two things have gone wrong with

(1) The German shipbuilding NEXT CHANGE yards are short of skilled labour and material;

(2) Britain and France are sinking U-boats much faster than Admiral Racder believed possible. The Stettin yard, engaged exclu-

enough skilled men. To keep up its rate of production it has had to in-

sively on naval work, cannot find

digging at the hillside, shovelling concrete into wooden moulds, wheel-Krupps and some of the Hamburg ing barrows full of earth and some- yards are also affected. British naval experts laugh at the

U-boat losses by the building of new Their commander, a grey-haired boats. years in North Africa, told me that

In 1917, when she had many more raw materials to draw on, Germany put only 87 submarines tinto commission. the peace of this green countryside

Shipbuilding experts here declare that the Nazis cannot produce more than six U-boats each

At least 40 U-bonts are believed to "That is the Swiss," he said, "they have been sunk since the war be-

anti-aircraft guns on fine days, are So, month by month, Hitler's about the only sounds of war you U-bont fleet is getting smaller and

### Homeside Rationing Next Week

# OF

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—The Ministry of Food announces that the ration for uncooked bacon and ham A few hundred yards away, after beginning on January 8 will be four ounces, and that for

> The maximum retail prices range from 1s 2d to 2s 1d

they were splendid troops.

As I watched the Moors at work

The Food Ministry states that it is proposed experimentally to allow entering establishments to serve bacon and ham without surrender of coupons, provided they are consumed

How It Is Calculated

Supplies of butter and sugar to the entering establishments will be cal-Here and in a bigger blockhouse culated on the basis of one-sixth of an ounce of butter and one-seventh of an ounce of sugar per meal served, including afternoon ten, for which no

.The arrangements apply to all places of refreshment open to the public, including clubs and canteens.

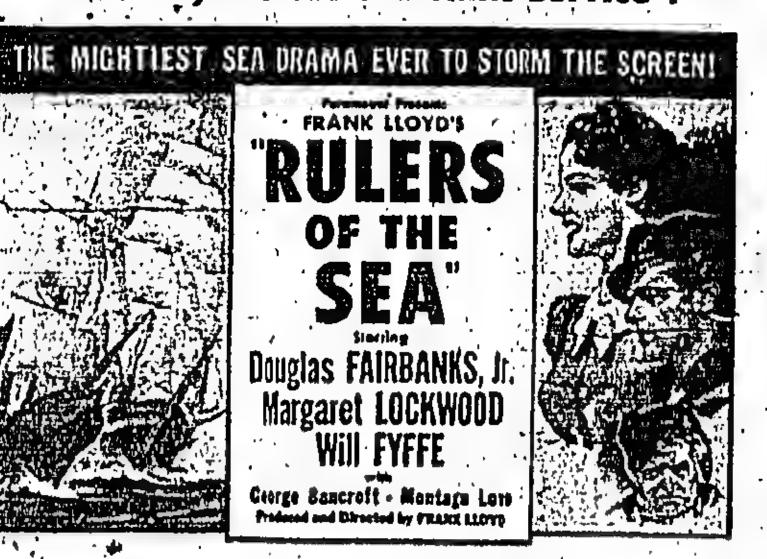
#### U-BOAT SINKS A SWEDISH SHIP

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—A ,000 . ton Swedish steamer in the Atlantic ": has : : sent out an S.O.S. stating that she is under fire from a German submarine and that she is now sinking.

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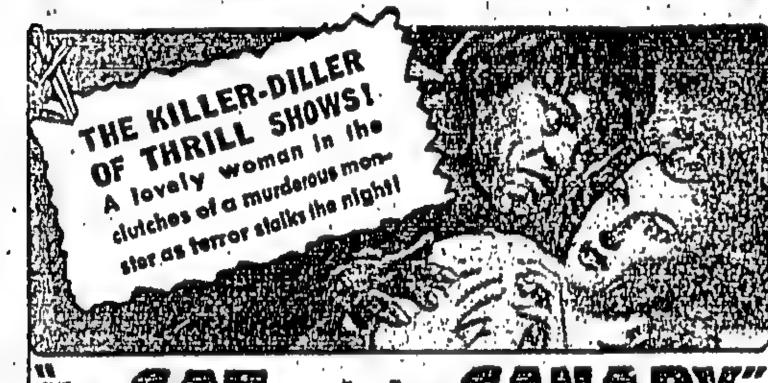
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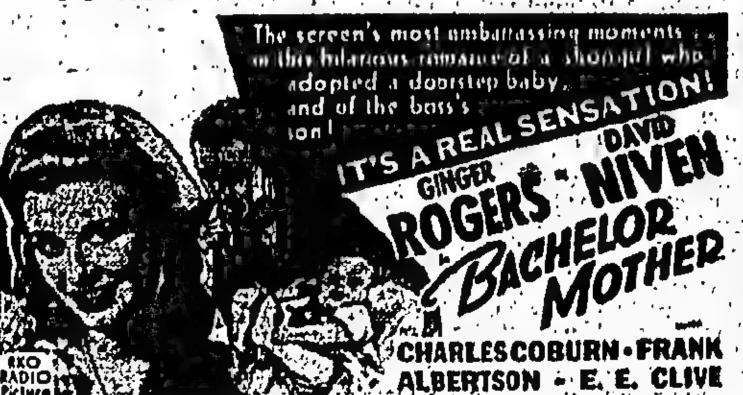


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tively stated, to the rumours in cer- known of any mobilisation in Iran.

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(Router) .- Mr. Charles Edi-

U.S. Navy, has asked Congress

to empower President Roose-

velt, "should a national emer-

-gency-arise,"-to-procure-ships

and materials and to comman-

proposals as a precautionary

and points out that President

Wilson was granted similar

powers in March, 1917, a

month before America entered

request does not, anticipate

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"GIRL-FRIEND"

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

FOLKESTONE, Jan. 3, (UP).

Girl-Friend," Unity Freeman-

father, Lord Redesdale,

a bullet wound in her neck, the re-

Father's Statement

daughter was due to the failure of

her efforts to restore Anglo-German

Unity's friends in England believe

But the "Dally Herald" suggests

because England went to war with

to-day that Unity was shot in a

Munich street by Gestapo agents be-PLEASE Turn To Page 2.

friendship," Lord Redesdale said.

the war.

p.m. to-day.

commit spicide.

in Buckinghamshire.

Germany.

involved in war.

Mr. Edison describes the

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 3

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(Router). - President Roose-

# CANNOT PREMINI IS NOT OUR BUSINESS?

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

WASHINGTON, JAN. 3 (UP).—PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT THIS AFTERNOON DELIVERED WHAT WAS, IF HE DOES NOT BREAK PRECEDENT BY SEEKING RE-ELECTION FOR THE THIRD TIME, HIS PENULTIMATE ANNUAL MESSAGE TO CONGRESS.

THE UNITED STATES, HE DECLARED, WILL KEEP OUT OF WAR.

"An overwhelming majority of Americans have not abandoned the hope and expectation that the United States will not become involved in the European War in a military sense." he said. "But there is a vast difference from keeping out

The request was made in of war and pretending that this war is none a letter to Mr. William Bank- . head. Speaker of the House of of our business. Mr. Roosevelt explains that

"We don't have to go to war. But at least we can arrive with other nations to encourage. the kind of peace that will lighten the troubles made available for the departof the world.

and Coast Guards for the current fiscal year ending june 30, ACTION FOR PEACE

> "The United States must be an active and powerful influence in seeking the re-establishment of peace.

son, Acting Secretary of the "The war in Europe arose from mismanagement of social and economic forces, causing a revolution against dictatorship.

> "We must continue our preparations, and I urge substantial defence appropriations, based not on panic but on common-sense."

move in a letter to Congress The President enumerated the increased taxes which he recommended for national defence.

Practically all the Government's expenses, with the exception of those for national defence would be reduced in 1941, he forecast, but added the warning that the Mr. Edison adds that the problem of the unemployed still remained unsolved. that the United States will be

... "Our programme of social improvement must be carried on to preserve the gains we have already made and to provide jobs and a living wage for the unemployed.

DICTATORS v. DEMOCRACY

"I ask all Americans to look ahead and see the first possibilities for our children in a world, the rest of which is dominated. by concentrated force alone.

"I ask Americans to envisage the second effect on our future

if the small nations of the world are shorn of their independence by military systems. "I ask Americans to see ahead the kind of lives our children will lead if much of the rest of the world is compelled to worship

a god imposed by military rule or is forbidden to worship at all. -Hitler's self-styled "English or is deceived of true news. "I ask Americans to see the fourth effect on our future if

Mitford, arrived here on the world trade is controlled by military force by any nation or any Channel steamer Antonia at 3.34 group of nations. "Modern man can no longer live a civilised life if we are to

She was carried off the vessel on go back to the practice of wars and conquests of the seventeenth a stretcher through a lane of steel- and eighteenth centuries.

helmeted soldiers with fixed bayonets. "When the time comes, the Three R.A.F. pursuit planes roared United States must use its Unity, still with a heavy bandogo influence to open the trade around her head, was met by her channels of the world, in order Friends said that the bandage hid compelled in later days to seek suit, it is claimed, of an attempt to by force of arms what can well be gained by peaceful confer-

"I emphasise the leadership which Because she is too weak to travel further. Unity and her father are this nation can take when the time remaining in Folkestone until Thurs-comes for a renewal of world peace. "Such influence will be greatly day, when they will leave by ambulance for the family's country estate weakened if this Government becomes the dog in the manger of trade

"Whatever accident befell my selfishness." No Alliances

"I re-commit myself to the policy f'no entangling alliances for my that she shot herself in desperation country.

it becomes clearer and clearer that Messerschmidts, the future world will be a shabby and a dangerous place in which to PLEASE Turn To Page 2.

Aerial Activity On Western Front

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

PARIS, Jan. 4, (UP),—Air activity has been resumed on the Western Front.

It is officially claimed that French fighters brought down two German bombers on the Rhineland front. A Royal Air Force plane was forced down in Belgian territory yesterday "But I must add the warning that after it had been attacked by three

One of the crew of the R.A.F. muchine was killed and the remainwill be interned.

Chinese Flag Re-Hoisted At Shumchun



SHUMCHUN, Hongkong border city which has been in the hands of the Japanese, has been re-entered by Chinese troops. Photograph shows Chinese standing to attention as the national fing is hoisted.

### U.S. SHIP DETAINED AT GIB.

May Be Held As Prize Of War

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" GIBRALTAR, Jan. 4, (UP).—

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Contraband Law's

\*Under International "Law, and neutral ship which is considered to be carrying contraband to an enemy country can be taken as a prize.

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Such a court is established Gibraltar. There is another Hongkong which, so far, has not been called upon to adjudicate in this war, although it did so in the Great Wor.

Death Of Japanese Financial Magnate

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" TOKYO, Jan. 4. (Domei).—One of Japan's leading financial figures, Mr.

Knichlro Nezu dled this morning at the ago of Bl. Mr. Nezu was a Member of the the Attorney General, Mr. Frank! Hill is accused of making false House of Peers, the representative of Murphy, former High Commissioner statements in the trial of Fritz Kuhn,

the Nezu Comel Knishn, the head of of the Philippines, will be appointed leader of the German-American the Tobu Railway Company, and a to the Supreme Court and that the Bund, who has since been senienced Hyo-even for Americans to live in ing two were injured. The inter director of several business corpora- Solicitor-General, Mr. Robert Jack- to prison for misappropriation of the son, will become Attorney General. Bund's funds.



5.109-ton freighter Executive THIS IS WHAT HAS HAPPENED to Hongkong's only mil connection has been detained by the British | with the outside world. Across the border from Lowu, miles of rallway Navy, and her cargo, consisting track have disappeared, torn up by Chinese guerillas in order to prevent the line being used by the Japanese.

### Hongkong Build Steamers

THE "TELEGRAPH" understands that the British Government is shortly placing orders in the Colony for the building of a number of cargo ships. The number is not yet definitely stated, but it is believed that, for a beginning, four ships will be ordered, shared evenly by parently gone ustray. The Associ-

the Taikoo and Kowloon Dockyards.

The exact tonnage of these projected vessels has not been announced, but it is understood that they will be slightly smaller than the Breconshire and the Glenorchy, leaving to those ships the honour of being the biggest vessels yet built in Hongkong.

provide the orders, Australia the been expelled from the organisation, steel, and Hougkong the labour. Steel plates and rods have poured graph's" New York correspondent. from the holds of ships recently arrived from Australia.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (Reuter) - Russian sterritory which is now It is learned on high authority that Latvin.

Bund Leader Expelled American Nazis Take Action

LONDON, Jan. 4 (Reuter) .- James Wheeler IIII, the National Secretary They will represent a truly Im- of the German-American Bund, who perial undertaking, for Britain will shortly will be tried for perjury, has according to the "Exchange Tele-This correspondent states that this follows the embarrassing discovery that he is neither German nor American but was born in the former

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## Finnish Airmen Take Up

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

HELSINGFORS, Jan. 4 (UP).—Finland's gallant air force roared into action across Soviet-occupied territory to-day, when a mass raid was carried out on the | Soviet base at Illinahamari, the port for the Petsamo

The Red Air Force gave battle to the Finnish bombers and, according to an official communique, "considerable aerial activity ensued."

The report neither indicates the number of planes involved, the result of the raid, nor the number of planes brought down. The planes were of the speedy bomber type—much speedler than those comprising Finland's pre-war

Qualified observers believe that they were either Italian or British type machines.

Arctic Front Quiet The Arctic front otherwise remains

quiet. Finnish claims to have recaptured the Pelsamo area are dis-Elsewhere on the land front, the Finns are still strongly attacking the Russians, who maintain the defensive

throughout. A Russian company at Alttelceji has been wiped out as the result of a strong Finnish attack, and Finnish troops have now reached the western

shore of Lake Lokkejavervi. The only Russian activity has been on the Karelian Isthmus at Talpalejeki, where the Mannerhelm Line has bogged their advance. Two powerful infantry thrusts north of Lake Hatjanlahti were repulsed.

Holsingfors Alarms

Aerial factivity continues southern Finland, and there were several nir raid alarms in the capital. Two houses were set aftre by in-PLEASE Turn To Page 2.

LATEST

### INTERPORT FOOTBALL MYSTERY

SHANGHAI, Jan. 4 (UP).—The Shanghai Football Association this morning announced-that it had so far not received confirmation of Hongkong's acceptance to visit 'Shanghai' to play a football Interport this

An official revealed that 'a letter had been sent to the Hongkong Football Association asking for definite confirmation as Hongkong's earlier letter was only a tentative acceptance. \*Hongkong's second letter has apation has already definitely assured Shanghal that it will send an Interport team up during the coming Chinese New Year. In fact the Association is holding a meeting tonight with the idea of selecting the Colony's team.

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HITLER'S ENGLISH "GIRL-FRIEND"

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cause Himmler "feared that Hiller had told her, too, many vital secrets." Unity Mitford In Accident Mittord family left Folkestone for the pleasant consequences.

The family are staying the night at Folkestone.

#### Franco-Spanish Railway Resumes

PARIS, Jan. 3 (Reuter),—Railway The first through train from France, the express from Paris, reached the Catalan frontler, on: Tuesday night. . The Bercelona, mall, train, whose service, had been interrupted since John Anderson, of Kowleon Docks, the Franco: war against the Governhad his bleyele, a Christmas gift, mentilegan in July, 1930, has resumstolen yesterday when he loft it out. ed its schedule and now runs right

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1940, at 3 p.m., nt the Offices of the Public His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at

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Works Department, by Order of C/SSX.15042. His Excellency the Governor of Tau Kok, in the Colony of Hong

that immediately after the disponot the applicant) will be required not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum dollars, ( sal of the lot the Purchaser (if will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

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### Nazi Protest Denied:

No Note Yet Sent To Sweden

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter) .-There is no confirmation in London, says "Reuter's" diplomatic correspondent, of the report that Germany has sent the Swedish Government a sharp note protesting against the despatch of volunteers, arms and ammunition to Finland, and conveying a LONDON; Jan. 3 (Reuter).—The warning that it might lead to un- Rayburn, leader of the House of Re-

Eulfilling Orders Naturally the fact that both are engaged in a major war to some not be sent before Friday. extent limits their powers of material assistance, but it is revealed that suspended as the result of the war, andidate for the Presidency. are now being executed.

money and munitions, and the policy ength with Foreign offairs, of the two governments would reen to be to continue this help regardless ident Roosevelt will point out the straining element, to further spend- Swafow and Shanghal .... 10.30 a.m. of the impression it might produce in need for \$400,000.000 to \$500,000.000 straining element, to intrinstruction straining element, to intrinstru Indeed in some duoriers it is sug- lelence programme,—United Bress. which is at present 42,000 million with Ord. J. Jan. 10. Noon. mentioned reports would seem to

# Former H'kong

The Admiralty has issued the following list of casualties which Works Department, by Order of occurred when H.M.S. Duchess was sunk.

Sik., R.F.R., C/K.20110.

Raiph, R. W. T., Ord, Smn., C/JK.152800;
Read, G. E., Actg., Ldg. Bmn., C/J.10974;
Reed, W. A., Signalman, C/J.100779;
Roberts,—William—IL.,—Ab.,—Smn.,
C/SSK.21016; Robinson, John R. B., Ab.,
Smn., C/SSK20922; Rogers, Clarence II.,
Sikr. Petry Officer, C/K.60016; Rix; Harry
B. C., Chief, Eng.-room, Artfr., 2nd, Cl.,
C/At 24007.

C/M124007.

Saunders, F. R., Ab. Smn., C/J.9447;

Selby, Frederick T., Stkr., C/KX.56313;

Scott, Edward W. G., Stkr., C/KX.56313;

Shauchnessy, Michael, Ord, Smn., C/SSX.
27723; Shields, Neil, Stkr., C/KX.94271;

Smith, William J. A., Stkr., Petty Offr.,

C/K.6446; Spiller, G. S. R., Ldg. Sick

Berth Attdt., C/MX.47607; Stevenson, John

D., Ab. Smn., C/JX.138318; Sullivan, C.,

Stkr. 1st Cl., D/KX.95090; Surridge, R. E.,

Ord. Smn., C/SSX.23477; Sutton, G., A.,

Stkr., C/KX.88509. Taylor, George E., Ab. Smn., C/JX.13940; Taylor, Victor R., Sikr., C/KX.65601; Thornton, William, Ab. Smn.,
P/JX 138757; Turnbull, William, Ab. Smn.,

### AMERICAN **LEADERS** CONFER

Washington, Jan. 3. nesday to hear President Roosevelt's President Roosevelt, Vice-Presid- "state of union" message which is ent Garner, Senator Barkeley, leader expected to deal extensively with of the Senate, and Congressman foreign affairs,

It is reliably reported that Pre- fight for economy, The chief are-

10 leight a 1 ... Washington, Jan. 3. | and inition statutory limit.—United Shanghal and Pateels only for Tien-Congress meets at noon on Wed-Prest.

The list is now believed to be complete, and the next of kin of all concerned have been informed.

Ab. Smn., C/JX.120203.

Faton, Geoffrey, Ab. Smn., C/SSX.10140;
Eddlestone, Herbert G., Ord, Smn.,
C/JX.151043; Frmins, William K. S. Ab.,
Smn., C/JX.134006. rapidly as they arrive.

Plack, Charles E., Ab. Smn., C/SSX.-23003; Forrest, George A., Ord. Smn., C/SSX.28175; Forsdyke, D. R., Act. Ldg. Sgnimn., C/JX.170328; Foster, Leslie, Ord. Smn., C/SSX.28154.

His Excellency the Governor of C/J.93756; Johnson, Robert, Ab. Smn., C/J.93756; Johnson, Robert, Ab. Smn., C/JK.150714; Joyce, Herbert, Telegraphist,

C/SSX.14020.

Walker, E. S., Electrical Articr., C/MX.46718; Walsh, Florence, Ab. Smo., C/SSX.13826; Ward, F. D., Ch. Petty Offr., C/SSX.21175; Warder, Alfred S., Ab. Smo., C/SSX.21175; Warner, Alfred S., Ab. Smo., C/SSX.21173; Webb. George, Stkr. Potty Offr., C/KX.75153; Wilkie, George, Ldg., Smin., C/SSX.27173; Webb. George, Ldg., Smin., C/SSX.27185; Williams, F. H., Ord., Smin., C/SSX.27185; Williams, F. H., Ord., Smin., C/SSX.27185; Williams, Eldney, Supply Petty Offr., C/M.37881; Williams, Williams, Williams, Williams, Stkr., C/KX.02667; Wood, George E., Eng. room Articr., 3rd Cl., C/MX.50104; Wood, Kenneth, Eng. room Articr., 3rd Cl., MX.50100.

The following will represent seniors against Civil Service.

tession of both Houses.

will deliver to-morrow to the joint not for special taxes: third, remind He said the Budget message may are already 550 million dollars above Mr. Garner - was in jovint mood and other agricultural payments: ollowing the conference. This was fourth, no recommendations for new contracts which. Finland ollowing the contexture, with President taxes; fifth, defend the neutrality Diaced in England which had been vos available for nomination as a revival of the spending and lending Rossevelt since he announced he programme; sixth, no proposal for measure, well to be traffic batween Spain and France is The French are also supplying ident's message would deal at session. The Republicans, Conserva-

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Leningrad the order is for a smashthrough of the main defences of the " INWARD MAILS Mannerheim Line regardless of Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Gilham, Thomas, Stkr., C/KX.03230; The brunt of the attack is expected for Conton. C/SSX.14640; to be borne by Finnish detenders on the southern and of the Mannotham Japan. Jan. 4. C/MX.34714; Guison, Frank V., Ab. Smn. Line which has been pounded for Conton. Jan. 5. PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS
of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1940, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of C/SSX.25042.

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There were several attacks at Various points along the Line in the Morning. All of them were repulsed with great loss.

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two facts have emerged. "Firstly, the United States" accomplishment towards the establishment of a 'good neighbour' policy in south and central America is without "Secondly, public opinion in al-

January.

the United States will continue to he potent, and active in seeking world peace." Flames Of Human Liberty ... Shanghai and Japan ......3.30 p.m. ablaze the flames of human liberty, reason, democracy and fair-play.

### Cricket Teams For The Week-end

Gosano,
Tité following will represent Craigengower firsts against Army on Saturday at
the Valley.—E. Zimmern (Capt.). A. R.
H. Esmail, A. B. Hamson, A. J. Hulse, A.
K. Ismail, A. T. Lee, E. A. Lee, H. P. Lim,
W. Hong Sling, G. Winch, F. R. Zimmern.
Umpire G. Ladd, Scorer H. W. Randall.

January.

Conton

7.00 p.m.

Ar. Tuesday, Jan. 9

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January.

Millord family left Folkestone for the pleasant consequences. oresentatives, reviewed plans, and it is predicted that he will nak, needesdales home; in Buckingham On the other hand, both the British hopes for the new session; of Confirst, for extension of the reciprocal shire, but were compelled to return and French Governments are con- gress at an hour's conference was a trade treaty expiring in June; second, Wing On Textiles Sh. s. 1484 n. later owing to an accident en route tinuing their efforts to aid the Finnish Senator Barkeley said President an additional 500; million, dollars to Reesevelt outlined the message he be expended on national defence, but the legislators of Congress that they the budget account in farm parity

tives and Democrats are expected to 

Holders of Hences are reminded that if it is desired to continue to after the date of expiration of the icence a renewal must be effected

nails are advertised to close after ?

Service"-London date, 30th Dec.

Thursday, Jan. 4 which the world has been plunged Salgon, Mauritius, Reunion, Madagas--car. Lourenco-Marques-and-South Africa via Durban .....3.30 p.m. Straits, Ceylon, India, Mombasa, Beira, Lourence-Marques, East and South Africa ...........7.00 p.m.

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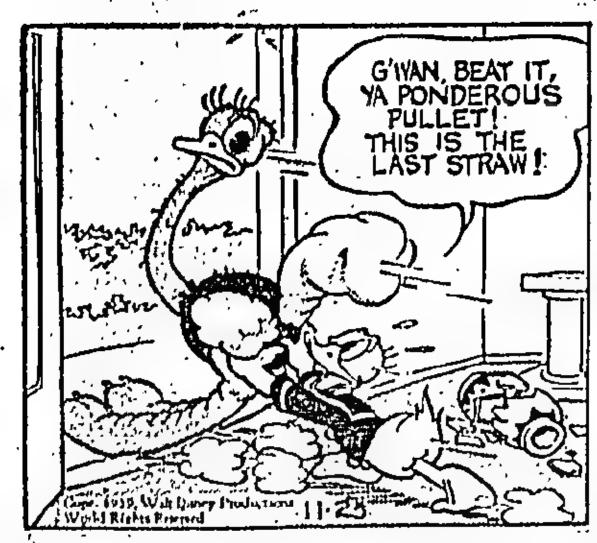




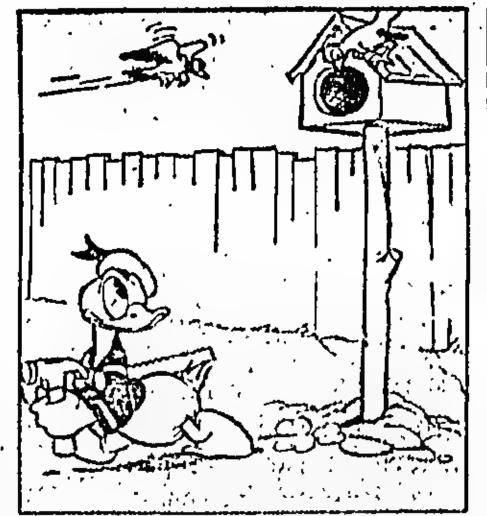
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'Mrs. Scarfoni wants me to go shoplifting with her to-day, Slug.

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7.0 Ambrose and Ills Orchestra. 7.15 Studio-Talk by Dr. P. S. Selwyn-Clarke, Director of Medical Services, "Campaign against Tuber-

culosis." 7.30 London Relay-The News. 8.0 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements. 8.03 Rina Ketty (Vocal) in a

Light French Programme with Cheval (Trenet-Arcady); J'ai Connu tionary Force. De Vous (Trenet). . . . Charles Trenet (Vocal) with Orchestra; One-Step-....Rina Ketty (Vocal) with Orches-

tra; En Quitiant Une Ville (Trenet) Charles Trenet (Vocal) & His,

chestra cond. by Dr. Leo Blech. 8.45 Studio-Talk on The Psychology of the War." 9.05 Roger Quilter-Three Eng-

lish Dances. New Light Symphony Orchestra.

0.15 London Relay-News Sum-

"The Quaker Girl." 9.45 Pairlela Rossborough (Plano)

### Nazis Revive The Q-Boat

#### Blame Them For "First" U-Boat Losses

thorized source to-day admitted that raid on Chungking last May, and LONDON, Jan. 4 (Reuter)—Mr. ginning of the war.

by authorised German quarters. ... Manchurlan frontier.



will greatly miss one of the ablest and greater extent from the disruption of

\_25\_YEARS\_AGO:

The first contingent will leave Hong- recovery lasted only five months. kong on January 20. Intending recruits We had a later enquiry from must be finally accepted before Jan. 10. another party and arrangements for if they wish to proceed with the first a remunerative rental had almost

5 YEARS ACO

## Is Sarcastic

#### nemian Girl," "A Country Girl" and Finn Claims Compared With Japanese

The statement declares that the alleged civilian ensualties due to large-scale bombardments of open towns are not borne out by a news agency report from Helsingfors on December 20, in which it was estimated that the ensualties totalled parts South Seth and Fleming were estimated that the casualties totalled Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming were

The statement compares this figure ETERLIN, Jan. 3 (UP).—An au- with the results of a single Japanese s'aimed to be brought down by yesterday he was the guest of General night It is worthy of note that is the Japanese communiques during the Viscount Gort, the British Comfirst admission of U-bout losses made summer last year on the Mongollan- mander-in-Chief, at General Head-

#### Sino-Japanese

Hostilities Hurt Hongkong Company

## YEAR'S WORKING

Mr. Lawrence Kadoorie presiding at the eighth annual general meeting of Asia Lands Limited this afternoon at the Mercantile Bank Building regretted that the accounts again showed a loss, but said that if the item of depreciation be excluded it would be seen that the nctual loss on working was \$3,422 compared with \$16,222 | last year. He thought the reduction was very satisfactory considering the very difficult times through which the company was passing.

The others present were Messrs. G. Miskin, J. Fleming, A. E. Gutierrez and E. M. Bryden.

Chairman's Speech

The Chairman said:
You have aircusy received with the annual report and accounts an advance copy of the address which I will now make—an innovation introduced last year for the purpose of providing the fullest information concerning the affairs of the Company to those shareholders who are unable to attend the annual meeting.

I regret that the accounts placed before you again show a loss, but if the item of Depreciation amounting to \$46,533.41 be excluded, it will be seen that the actual loss on working this year is \$3,422.37 compared with \$16,222.28 last year, a reduction of \$12,800.01 which I think you will agree is very satisfactory considering the very difficult times through which the Company is passing.

'Talk by Dr. Selwyn-Clarke
On Tuberculosis

50 YEARS AGO

Jan. 4, 1890.

Gavernor des Veeux will, in all probability, loave here for home next
bability, loave here for home next
bability, loave here for home next
March, and his return is uncertain.
His Excellency's health has, unfortunately, not been so satisfactory as
could have been wished. Hongkong locality and naturally suffers to a must conscientious rulers that has ever the river trade caused by the Sino-controlled the destinies of the colony. Japanese hostilities. However, after great difficulty we secured a tenant at a reasonable rental for one side Jan. 4, 1915. of the wharf though this welcome

been successfully completed when the news of the Japanese invasion of L'Accordeoniste Alexander.

J'Attendrai...(Oliveri & Poterat):
Sombreros and Mantillas (Valsade & Cross to nine officers, non-commissioned officers, non-com wharf must be differred until the cessation of Sino-Japanese hostilities.

House Properties Occupied Parade D'Oiseau; Valse Muselle—
Reve Secret ... L'Accordeniste
The members and officials of the property, I am glad to be able to Effect is warmly praised by a Alexander & His Orchestra; Rien Que Rent Problem Committee held their report that our house properties are effort is warmly praised by a Mon Coeur (Martel & Others): Le cighih meeting at the big hall of the fully occupied at reasonable rentals, contributor to "Le Matin." Clocher D'Amour (Mariel & Others) 24 Trade Guilds Association last night. The sale for \$10,000.00 of the

account has been reduced by ap- triumph of their joint tusk. proximately \$14,000.00 from the proceeds received from the sale of the vacant land and investment, and from surplus income from house properties. The overdraft on "Permanent" Piers Account, however, has increased by about \$6.800.00, the meager net income from the Hing Kee Wharf being insufficient to cover bank

The motion was seconded and

#### ATTLEE IN FRANCE

## As They See It Abroad



"If the first caveman came back" "'Pitts-burgh-Post Gazette," U.S.A

### Praise From The French

#### British War Effort Appreciated.

PARIS, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—The

vacant land next to our Breezy: French troops watching the Rhine, Jan. 4, 1935. during the year and as already ad- the steady growing-up, beside them,

> has been finally disposed of for the could not praise too highly their sum of \$1,350.00. Our bank overdraft on "General" single day in their efforts towards a Hotel in the city.

#### OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"Little Tough Guys in Society", (Oriental): The hulf-n-dozen boys, and Robinson Cleaver (Organ):

Zampa (lierold): Carcfree—Selection;
That Certain Age—Selection;
Nola (Arndi): The Wedding of the Painted Doil (Brown).

10.0 An hour of Dance Music.
11.0 Close down.

Special to the "Telegraph"

Special to the "Telegraph"

Interest on the relative loan,
I do not think there are any further comments I can usefully make, the report in this film. In a country house washing and pampered young boy related to leave his bed. A psychiater fuses to leave his bed. A psychiater fuse of the tree are brought from the celetic railway near the border on the relative loan, who appeared with such success in this film. In a country house fuses to leave his bed. A psychiater fuse of the tree are brought from the celetic railway near the border had been seriously, believed in an on his advice six young when a head-on collision occurred on the tenting by the solution and on his advice six young when a head-on collision occurred to heave his bed. A psychiater fuses to leave his bed. A psychiater fuse fuses to leave his bed. A psychiater fuse of heaver york to encourage between the border of the voluntary invalid to behave like a portion.

The motion was accorded and were any furter of the country house fuses in this film. In a country house in the close in this film. In a country house fuse in this film. In a country house fuse in this film. In a c work of the American Fauntleroy, ger train crowded with New Year.
"The Drum" (Majestle): Raymond Bollday-makers. Massey and Sabu in a spaclous melo- holiday-makers. drama of the North-West Frontier, done in Technicolor.

#### Foreign Policy Approved

ANKARA, Jan. 3 (Reuter).-Turtwo German U-boats have been sunk. Soviet tanks alleged to be destroyed Clement R. Attice, Leader of the key's foreign policy was approved by by British "submarine traps," namely in Finland favourably compares with Labour Opposition, is touring the a meeting of the Peoply's Party of the armed merchant ships, since the bethe numbers of Soviet and parliamentary, Group on Tuesday

> The Foreign Minister addressed the monting in a two-hour speech.

### NEW YEAR TRAGEDIES

And Train Smash

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" An hotel fire in Minneapolis and a train smash near Tokyo vesterday resulted in at least 28 deaths, according to exclusive reports received by the "Tele-

Soring Waltz (arr. Schwartz);
Waltz Nanette (arr. Schwartz).
Russian Novelty Orchestra; My Darling Waltz (The Gypts Baron—J.
Strauss)...Berlin State Optra OrStrauss)...Berlin State Optra OrStrauss)...Berlin State Optra OrStrauss)...Berlin State Optra OrStrauss)...Berlin State Optra OrStrauss or My Dr. Lee Block

The stairway was enveloped in flames, trapping most of the 200 residents.

"Reuter" confirms the death roll, and adds that although all available fire engines were called out, the cold was so intense that the water from the hoses froze before reaching the flames.

#### Fatal Collision

The accident occurred on a sleep hill, where a sharp curve provented a long range view for, the engine drivers.

#### ... 20 Bodies Recovered

MINNEAPOLIS, Jon. 3 (UP) Twenty bodles have been recovered 40 people were injured 23 of whom have been sent to hospital. Those injured include two firemen and two policemen.

DUBLIN, Jan. 3 (UP).—The Dail passed the second reading of the in-

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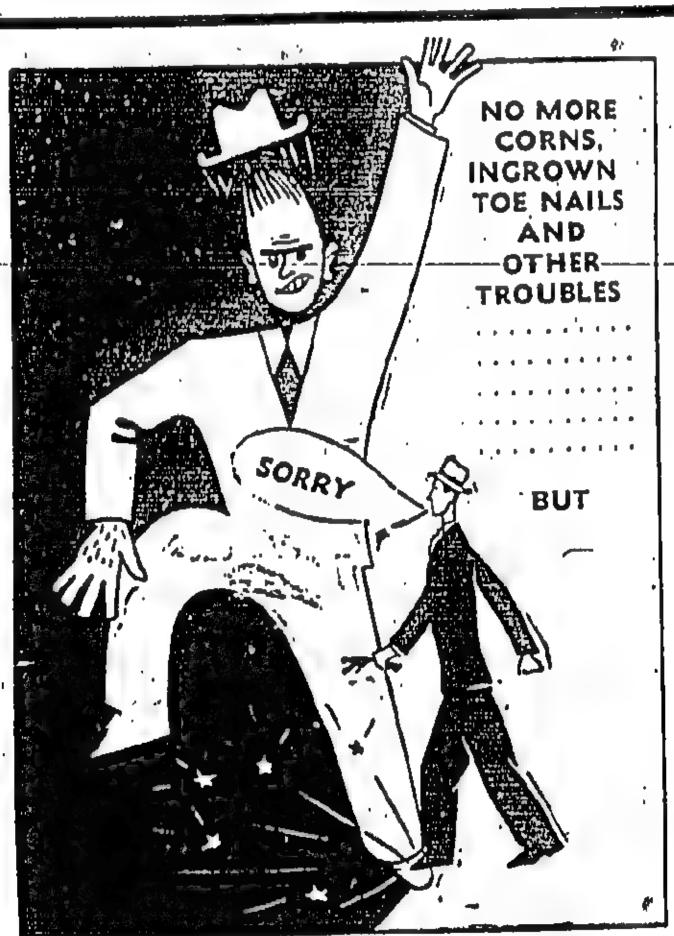
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#### Beating The Bomber?

Russia brands Britain and do for years. For weeks the world's mightiest armies face each other without any fighting worth talking of taking place. It is therefore perhaps not surprising that the claim of Dr. Goeb- thousand little islands. bels' Propaganda Ministry that fifty per cent of the British airplanes which raided Wilhelmshaven and Cuxhaven were down tells heavily brought against Germany's chances o. ultimate success.

From the British point of view these raids were highly successful; but no attempt has been made to deny that the attacking force suffered heavy losses. Heavy losses, too, have been inflicted upon German air-English coast. And a German bomber was brought down by the Royal Air Force Patrol before it reached British shores.

planes. But the more considered and generally accepted view is the attack.

this judgment to be revised. has taken.

greatly to the advantage of the Allies. It is not they, but Geran assumption of the overwhelm-It is not they, but Germany, swift. who will suffer most if this

striking power be neutralised. always get through, Germany upon which she very largely re-

## Warfare Arctic Circle

session of the Arctic Road, close-growing trees. is not familiar to many.

ing nationalities go there sun. In fact all this month HARD . . DRY . . . WAX during happier times to they will probably see no daycatch the salmon and trout Your dealer or garage man recom- that abound in the lakes and Between noon and 3 p.m. a rivers. A handful of mo- up the snow in a theatrical and torists take their cars up romantic way. the sandy high-

way from the Arctic Circle, where the Helsingfors - Rovaniemi railway ends, to Linahamari, the ice-

languages, look after the com-June. of tourists and of the full journey.

THIS is a war of paradoxes. Here and there a river cuts the Living in their pointed skin tween the trees, with its with all their belongings to the

is particularly beautiful. A Royanlemi to sell the skins collected huge stretch of water is backed the winter. by a great hill which in summer with his winter clothing of skin and and winter is equally impressive, fur—a hood, a cloak, huge mitts, been prepared for this in Norway.

gradually grow fewer, and children drink reindeer milk and his smaller. The next stop on the feasts are of reindeer meat. smaller. The next stop on the Then, too, he trains as many as bus route is Ylaluostari, where there is a small Russian monastery and an inn. Some miles family and their luggage travel over the doctor beautifully.

Then, too, he trains as many as in the me-tani which grand—in her silvery voice the doctor mother had embroidered so was watching her carefully, mother had embroidered so beautifully.

The next stop on the Then, too, he trains as many as necessary of his reindeer to act as mother had embroidered so beautifully.

The next stop on the Then, too, he trains as many as necessary of his reindeer to act as transport animals. He and all his beautifully. is reached.

that air defence is to-day so well be very much enlarged. All this conditions. organised and efficient that, tract of land north of Pitkajarvi is called Petsamo, so when the both in Germany and in Britain, Soviets claim to have conquered PESIDE the native Lopp, many to leave plenty of room for Ah the Chief.of the next village exaggeration.

this sort of heavily wood- will cause terrible suffering. this sort of heavily wood- will cause terrible suffering.

Earners and wood-cutters in these country is of necessity desolate regions lead at the best of was several months old—was Bye and bye; after much talk clusion from the course the war ably difficult in summer. Great During the short summer, tor- fastened up tight to Ah Mooi's ing with Ah Mooi's parents and But so far, it is the logical con- difficult ... almost insuper- times an extremely hard life. be crossed by those who know the 7 or 8 months of snow. bound lakes, the only places at the first sign of thaw.

none of the complicated exhaustion. will have lost the advantage harness needed by skiers in Should the Soviet, with her over- a corner by the well. mountainous districts. A sim- whelmingly superior numbers, overple strap allows a curly-tood even then she is very far from any boot to be slipped in and out at kind of real or successful victory.

THE SCENE of to-day's a moment's notice, once in, this fighting in Finnish Lap- same curly toe keeps it in place. In the forests it is more conland, where Soviet troops venient to carry them than to and Finns struggle for pos-manoeuvre them through the

Fighters in this Northern A few fishermen of vary- land these days never see the

During the night the glories of the shimmersea-green and pink Aurora Truda Panet Borcalis may thrill them in Northern

free harbour on the Arctic sky. Otherwise they must depend on the moon and stars to light At intervals all the way up the Year the sun appears again and road are little red wooden every "day" is considerably hotels, charmingly furnished, longer than the one before, where in summer students from hastening towards the 24-hour the University, speaking several length it attains at the end of

passengers from the twice-a-day THE NATIVE inhabitants of buses, that take two days over - the country suffer, we can hope, possibly less than refugees of any other race because they are a nomadic people.

The little Lapp, most timid JE southern half of the road and harmless of souls, travels is pretty but monotonous, hundreds of miles every winter Endless fir-forests completely after new feeding-grounds for

road and while unfrozen must tents, they settle a while round all the rice had been gatherbe crossed on a floating plat- some place where their beasts ed and when Ah Mooi's France as aggressors for doing form that is propelled by hook- can hoof away the snow and what it has been urging them to ing notched billets of wood on do for years. For weeks the the wires that stretch from bank of the lake and for the ice spare, she called Ah Mooi. to bank. But beyond Ivalo, of the lake and fish under conhotel and a few shops, the the toughest of Messrs. Hardy's been called. For days she had the small Ah Mooi looking so hotel and a few shops, the me toughest of messrs, mardy's been caned. For days she had pale and frightened he spoke to scenery improves. The enorm- customers. Then, the feeding been so happy and excited, her in Chinese and told her not scenery improves. The enormer ground laid waste, they move on though no one would have to be afraid, our lake of Inari can be seen be-

At Salmijarvi and Pitkajarvi will over the whole country, that the where battles are now being Lapp stays any length of time in one fought, is the grandest stretch place and even then he makes many begin to carry Ah Tai ("Little her home and explain everything of country to be seen. Pitka- excursions in his skin canoes, in- Brother") on her back. jarvi, ("jarvi" means "lake"), cluding one grand trek down to

The road runs along the east and loose fur stockings to tuck into The road runs along the east his soft, high boots. These are also shore and the western shore is stuffed with straw against frost-bite. in Norway.

Sometimes several sticks would loved him. Very soon Ah Mooi be fastened to her back, then an was telling him how, to-day, with needles and weaving-shuttles old doll and later a bundle; and she had been allowed to carry North of this point trees and with pins for her halr. His Ah Mooi could hardly wait to be Ah Tai for the first time.

planes striving to bomb the further on is Alaluostari, where the snow in "pulkas". These are there is another Russian church, narrow, boat-shaped sleighs holding A me-taai is a large square doctor had lived a long time in Then there are no more signs one person only. Once in, you are Then there are no more signs in for good, so to speak. Should sling made of strong cloth and China: one of the things that of human life until Limahamari your very wild puller decide to run with coloured embroidery on it— made him sad was that so many, away, you may turn somersaults and often of birds and flowers. It children suffered in this way ore it reached British shores.

Because this harbour remains very hard ground but you cannot get has four long ends to fold and often went blind.

These German losses have open throughout the severest out unless you cut the traces and let tie round the body. Very often He had found a winter it was rapidly becoming him go. If you approx your reins These German losses have been ascribed to marked superiority in the British fighter planes. But the more considered open throughout the soverest out timess you cut the traces and the body. Very often the babies are nearly as big as treating and often curing them, but it usually meant hospital—the small children who carry the small children who carry often too difficult, for Chinese posing you get a docide beast, the motion is pleasant. He can attain them! there when I last visited it five quite a considerable speed with his years ago and by now it must clumsy, lolloping gait, and cover

it has got the upper hand over or captured it, it is probably an northernmost parts of their country exaggeration. and the loss of their farms and Subsequent events may cause Progress by troops over villages, burnt by retreating armies,

treacherous swamps called "mos- work 24 hours a day in their fields a small hand to each side, held ed most, for grandparents are sas" cover low-lying land to collect green stuff for themselves a small hand to each side, held ed most, for grandparents are Manifestly it is a conclusion between lakes and can only then and hay to feed their beasts during the tiny feet, and felt im- very important in China, it was them well. In winter, of course, In the winter, apart from trapping, measurably happy, the ice and, snow make them doors, Those who can afford it, Ah Tai was wasfe and, with their lack of offen many and afford it, many, whose power is built on safe and, with their lack of often move down to Rovaniemi for "tiger" cap with two pointed

their own country. It would be difficult to find a more determined adversary than the Finn with that inborn quality of "sisu", that quality which prevents a man If, in fact, the bomber cannot Winnish skis have, as a rule, from giving up despite privation and which separated the rice fields

run his country, she will find that



with a mouth like a folded she remembered the little

One lovely morning, when his small feet. mother had a little time to

Ah Mooi knew why she had guessed this; Chinese children thousand little islands.

It is only in summer, when their tranquil) for she had been proposed this, onlinese change and that if anything had hurt Ah tranquil) for she had been proposed this, onlinese change in that if anything had hurt Ah tranquil) for she had been proposed this, onlinese change in that if anything had hurt Ah tranquil) for she had been proposed this, onlinese change in that if anything had hurt Ah tranquil) for she had been proposed this, onlinese change in that if anything had hurt Ah that if anything had hurt Ah will over the whole country, that the missed that goes are now being will over the whole country, that the

allowed to have Ah Tai fastened

sling made of strong cloth and |China: one of the things that

Ah Mooi came and listened devils." careful she was to be of Ah Tai. lucky day, for just as her "If you sit, Ah Mooi, remember mother came out to meet her,

Ah Tai was wearing his trees they prove, like the ice- the winter, returning to their farms fur ears, so that any wandering ing striking force of airplanes. bound takes, the only places at the instance hardy men who are evil spirits would think it was harvested, little Ah Mooi was where progress on skis is at all the strike hardy men who are evil spirits would think it was harvested, little Ah Mooi was was a little and back with the strike and the strike at the strike and the strike an fighting on their own ground to keep a ferocious tiger and not a baby completely cured and back, with and give it a wide berth.

> She trotted off and walked along the narrow grass verge from each other and was turning "foreign devils" had been.

came springing towards her.

H MOOI was six years | For a moment Ah Mooi's old, small and golden She was terribly frightened and brown, slender and was turning to run away when brother fastened on her back. She stood quite still and held

How glad she was to hear someone calling.

The creature stopped as in a moment a big "foreigner" came along and fastened a large strap to his Alsatian. When he saw

to her mother.

While she was chattering away - noticing that Ah Mooi's eyes were inflamed and sore. The

He had found a way of ...

Somehow this was Ah Mooi's. came by. He hurried forward and told Ah Mooi's mother how the wonderful foreign doctor. had cured his son's eyes some

agreed that Ah Mooi should go with the doctor.

By the time the rice was next. Ah Tai again fastened in the metaai to her small back. She told him of all the wonderful things she had seen in the big-

To-day Ah Mooi is happily Suddenly a huge creature employed as Amah to the doctor's children .-- C.

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#### FINNISH WAR

### DEFENDERS MAINTAIN OFFENSIVE

#### Russians Hard Pressed In Arctic Regions

HELSINGFORS, Jan. 3 (Reuter) .- The weather in Southern Finland cleared to-day and, taking advantage of this, Soviet aircraft bombed the port of Hango. The extent of the dam- | near in Shansi. age is not yet known. .

There is little fighting around the Mannerheim Line, but between Lake Ladoga and the Polar front, one Russian division has been surrounded and is desperately trying to fight its way , out.

Reports of a Russian retreat towards Petsamo continue to come in, and there seems little doubt that the Finns have the initiative in this area. Neutral observers state that the Firms are in a better strategic position, to-day than they have been at any time since the Soviet investor began. At one point, indeed, operations are being carried out on Russian

Since the beginning of the war, the Finnish news agency reports, the Soviets have lost 400 tanks and 150 planes.

#### -Attack-Repulsed-

HELSINGFORS, Jan. 3 (Reuter). -To-day's communique states that the Soviets have inunched a flerce infantry attack after artillery preparation on the Taipale River. The Finns repulsed the attack with

great loss to the Russians. At Aittajoki, the Finns destroyed a

Russian company supported by machine guns, On the Suomussalmi front, near

Rasti, the Finns destroyed five Russian tanks and two armoured cars. In the Juntusrania sector, the Firms reached the left bank of the River Kokkojaervi.

#### Tell. It To The Finns

MOSCOW, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—"For outstanding services in inventing and designing new and highly important models of Red Army armament," Vassili Degiyarev is awarded the title, of Hero of Socialist Labour, the Order of Lenin and 50,000 Toubles.

The "Izvestia" remarks that Degtyarev's inventions have been of very great importance, enhancing the technical might of the Red Army. Infantry, aviation and tank troops have received armaments in no way inferior and in some respects surpassing the best foreign models,

#### U-BOAT SINKS A SWEDISH SHIP

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).-A 5.000 ton Swedish steamer in the Atlantic has sent out an S.O.S. stating that she is under fire from a German submarine and that she is now sinking.

#### Another Torpedoed

LONDON, Jon. 4 (Reuter).—The Swedish steamer, Staaten, 3,750 tons, was torpedoed off the west const of Scotland by a U-boat yesterday, Eloven survivors were picked up.

hack his travelling rug valued at \$05 loon Docks.

### Japanese C-in-C Takes Charge

#### IMPORTANT CANTON DRIVE

According to a "Central News" report from Chungking, Lieut. General T. Nishio and Lieut. Gen. S. for profits and world domination, Itagaki, respectively Commander-in-Chief and Chief of For which it holds "Hitler, Staff, of the Japanese forces in China, have arrived in imperialism" equally responsible, Canton to direct operations in North Kwangtung.

The fact that the two top-ranking generals of the Japanese expeditionary force in China are both in the south to take personal charge of operations Indicates the importance of the drive in this sector.

Generals Nishio and Itagaki are said to be staying at the Japanese Stole From Priests Headquarters at Tungshan.

On Kwangsi Front On the Kwangsi front, a "Central News" war correspondent who visited Kulunkwan Pass on the Nanning-Pinyong highway found a large quantity of Japanese arms and munitions captured. Some heavy guns had been buried by the Japanere upon their retreat but they were dug up by the Chinese,

In Klaugs Chinese troops attacked guns and over 100 rifles.

Three successive Japanese assaults be of good behaviour for one year. on Tashaping, 12 miles north of Tungcheng in South Hupeh, and the fighting here.

 Severe blows are also said to have been dealt to the Japanese forces near Hsiahslen and Anyi in South guarantor, and said defendant would

In a night attack on Monday, the Chinese smashed into Tinewyu, south of Halahsien, and set the to the Forrest said he did not think defenammunition dumps.

#### STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued yesterday says: Firm conditions prevailed over the market during the morning Docks again being largely dealt in and at advancing rates.

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H.K. Bank,	\$1,365
Canton Ins.	\$200
Douglases	\$72
Docks	\$21,20
Providents	\$414
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Realties	\$4.30
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	\$681/4
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China Lights (old)	\$71/4
Electrics	\$531/2
Sandakan Lights	\$11.10
Telephones (old)	\$24 1/4
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Cements	\$171/2
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### THIEF BOUND OVER

Remanded from yesterday to find a He langfultwan at dawn on New guarantor, Ngai Hel, shroff employed tion, Year's day and recaptured the town by Catholic priests in Happy Valley, after some heavy fighting. They are appeared before Mr. Forrest at Censaid to have selzed eight machine- trul Magistracy this morning, when he was bound over on a \$100 band to

Ngai had reported to the Police Trenchialing, further west, were re- that he had been held up and robbed pulsed on the same day. Many by two armed men of \$577, but it and as its purpose can only be Japanese were killed and wounded in was later discovered that he had concealed \$500, and spent \$77,

> Father Grampa agreed to act as be taken to Walchow on Monday. Inspector Baker protested against the lightness of the sentence, but Mr dant would do such a thing again. The Catholic fathers were not pressing for the return of the money.

#### GODOWN BLAZE QUELLED

er the QUICK WORK by the Central with Fire Brigade under its Superintendent, Mr. J. C. FitzHenry, prevented what might have been a serious outbreak in an extra-hazardous godown in Connaught Road West this morn-

> of the China Provident Loan & National Joint Advisory Council, accept the offer should the need arise. Mortgage Company, was filled with composed of representatives of the matches packed in bulk, cotton wool British Employers Confederation and and films.

ted, but the sames were prevented Minister in the chair. from spreading to adjoining godowns. The outbreak was accidently discovered by the watch-keeper, who of the Treasury. Board of Trade. blankets! visited the godown shortly before 9.30 Mines Department and the Ministry n.m. to obtain samples for a client. n.m. to obtain samples for a client. Tram and other vehicular traffic to and from Kennedy Town was held up for 40 minutes as a result of the

#### Compulsory Labour on January 31. Announced

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—Both otherwise than by voluntary nego-Sweden and Rumania are to have tialing machinery now in existence. compulsory labour services.

In Sweden under a Bill passed on Tuesday, labour will be compulsory for equipping and maintaining Sweden's defences as well as for such vital services as agriculture and transport.

All farm labour, it was announced in Rumania to-day, is now compul- apparently uscless, warning which

#### ALLIED PATROLS not proceed "to state them now or forever hold their peace," is not al-SCORE SUCCESSES ways as superfluous as it may seem. The officiating minister at the wed-

munique issued to-day states: fulfilled their missions in the various ecremony should not proceed. points at the front, "Towards mid-day, two enemy clared.

planes were brought down by our | Firemen put out the roof blaze and

### Fascism and British and French Mr. Arthur Greenwood, Deputy Leader of the Labour Party, has severed his connection with the

organisation as a protest against the resolution. Mr. Greenwood wrote: "The resolution is in flat contradiction to the established and re-affirmed policy of organized labour. It declares that the policy of the leaders of Labour Movement and Trade Unions endangers the whole future of the Labour Movement.

LONDON, Jan. 3, (British Wireless).—A conference of the

University Labour Federation— an organisation based on stu-

dents' societies at U.K. Univer-

which has not infrequently found itself at variance with the official

Labour Party policy — to-day passed a resolution which urges

that the task of the Labour

Movement is to lead the working

sitles with Labour sympathies,

#### Greenwood Condomns

"As I am wholeheartedly in support of Labour's policy overwhelmingly supported by the rank and fife, and as one on whom the censure of the Federation Executive has now fallen, I feel it necessary to resign the Presidency of the Federa-

"The resolution is obviously inspired from Communist sources. reveals or professes complete ignorance of the real issues behind the present struggle. It is out sympathy with the views of the Socialist Movement the world over. interpreted as definitely disruptive. I need only add that, as one who has had the longest continuous association with the University Labour Federal parations for a tour of the entire tion, and as one who remembers the | devastated area. spirit which brought it into existence at the end of the last Great War at the instance of men who had fought in that war. I regret severing my connection with an organisation which, I had hoped, would be a beacon of Socialism in the university

### Employers & Workers Have Parley

LONDON. Jan. 3 (British Wire-The godown, which is the property less) .- The third meeting of the the T. U. C. General Council, which The fire brigade was on the spot was set up to advise the Governwithin a few minutes of the alarm being raised by the watch-keeper, and had the blaze under control within was held to-day at the Ministry of half-an-hour. The godown was gut—Labour and National Service with a Turkish corthquakes.

A general discussion was resumed of the statement made to the Council by the Chancellor of the Exchequer in December on financing the war, and a further discussion will take place at the Council's next meeting

During the discussion, T. U. C. representatives emphasised the 'objections to the control of wages

#### FIRE PUTS STOP TO WEDDING LIVERMORE, Cal.—That little, and

the marrying minister always gives to the effect that if anyone knows any reason why the wedding should ding of Miss. Bertha Carlson and PARIS, Jan. 3 (Reuter).-A com- Millon Fisher had just reached that point, when a neighbour poked his "During the day our patrols and head in the door and announced that reconnaissance parties successfully there certainly were reasons why the "The house is on fire," he de-

#### HONGKONG REFUGEES SWARM BACK TO SHUMCHUN

Young Aremin, well-known local . About 3,000 refugees have returned to Shumchun from boxer, appeared before Mr. Hims- Hongkong since the Japanese evacuated the border areas last

Aromin who is employed by the Swastika Association has been gutted A petition has been sent to the

Thefts From Cars

worth at Kowloon Magistracy this morning as complainant, when Lou yin, a coolie, was charged with their of two iron shackles from the Kowloon of the business section of the town, habilitation were discussed. It was though little damaged, are emptied, decided to induce more refugees to the former refugee camp of the Red return.

A rough who is employed by the former refugee camp of the Red return.

A rough who is employed by the former refugee camp of the Red return.

A rough who is employed by the former refugee camp of the Red return.

stolen from his car which was parked outside his house yesterday.

Docks searched Lou as he was leave by fire.

Regular Chinese troops and police of funds for emergency of the shackles tied to his legs.

Regular Chinese troops and police of funds for emergency of the company and the Postal Telephase stolen from a car belonging to his legs.

Hong Kong Dephase of the existing lils of the existing liles of Mr. J. R. M. Smith, 138 Kennedy Lou was sentenced to six weeks Teng Hung, magistrate at Po On, turned are badly in need of beddings,

#### TROOPS KILLED IN TRAIN **SMASH**

LONDON, Jan. 4, (Repter).-- A serious crash on the Murmansk - Leningrad Railway in which scores of troops were killed and in-jured is reported by the Stockholm correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph."

The crash is believed to

have been due to activities along certain sections of the Line by Finnish guerillas.

The engine rolled down a steep embankment, carrying a whole train with it.

### class in a determined struggle against what it describes as war Further Juakes

ANKARA, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—Fresh tremors were felt in Southern Anatolia to-day.

Several hundreds of buildings collapsed and many more panic-stricken people have been rendered home-

Fortunately the death, roll is believed to have been smail. This is because the quakes came in the daytime and the people had time to rush, out of their houses before the buildings fell in and collapsed. Floods persist and the River Euphrates is causing great damage, while villages are swept away. Its

waters are still rising. President Incuna is completing pre-

#### Europe's Cold Wave

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—Bad weather is striking other parts of Europe besides Turkey. In Southern Spain, violent rains are falling and at least one river has risen 30 feet.

In Central Europe, great hardship is being caused by the extreme cold. In Rumania, a temperature of 56 degrees below freezing point is re-

#### British Offer.

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—The Government has offered to put a hospital ship at the disposal of the Tunkish Government. The latter has replied, expressing

#### French Aid For Turks

PARIS, Jan. 3 (UP) .- The High

The Civil Administration in Syria has also donated 200,000 francs, as Also present were representatives well as, material -for tents and

#### Manslaughter Charge Sequel To Fatality In Bonham Road

LIEUTENANT THOMAS PARKINSON, 51, Quartermaster of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, was charged with Manslaughter at the Central Magistracy this morning. The Crown Indictment alleges that Parkinson, whilst driving his car along Bonham Road on December 23, knocked down and killed one Wong Chui-lam.

The accident is alleged to have happened near the intersection with Breezy Path. A remand of seven days was granted after formal evidence had been tendered by the Crown. Ball of

\$100 was permitted.

#### R.A.F. PLANE'S FATAL FLIGHT

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter) .- The Air Ministry announces that the British sireraft forced down in Belgium was attacked by three German fighters while engaged in reconnaissance over Germany. One member of the crew was kill-

ed and two were slightly injured.

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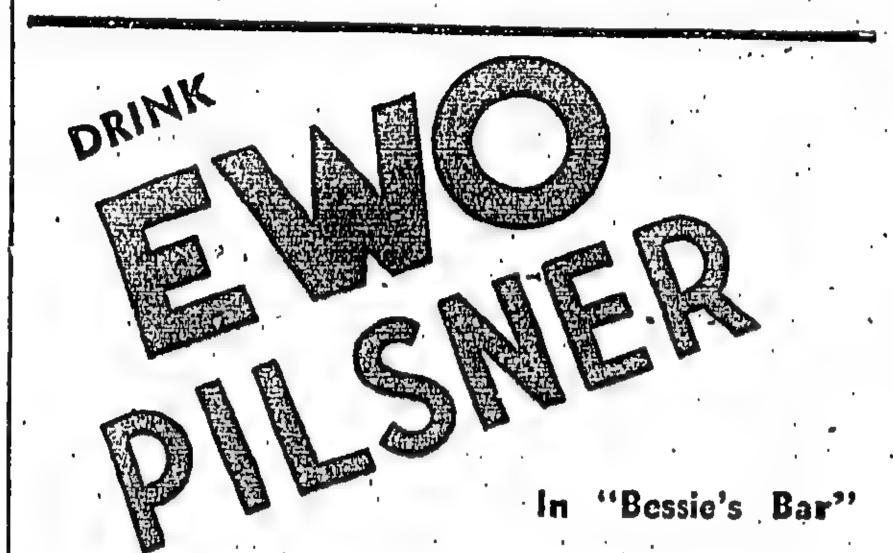
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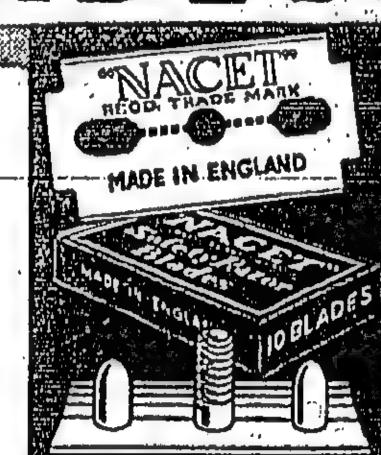


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## "Pilgrim's" Hockey Notes

## MACAO

### CLUB TROUNCE NAVY AT RUGGER

(By "Fly-half")

ON THE CLUB GROUND (a penalty goal). Beaten in all departments, Navy put up | Chinese New Year. a plucky display, especially wild rushes.

Aithenhead, a new acquisition after January 7. from Coylon, played a sterling game at inside-three-quarter, and should prove a valuable to Club 1st XV of ce he Colony a few games before wing, and on several occasions had the home defence in difficulties.

Twish more local clubs would wing, and on several occasions had the home defence in difficulties.

The outstanding player, however, was Mrs. R. Silva, at left half, and settles down and gets into con- Colony a few games before Miss P. Gonsalves improved in the settles down and gets into con- Easter.

Stoker, Richardson, Burford and Codfrey did well in the Club pack, THE Royal Engineers suffered to recover lost ground. Burford. Richardson made a return they went down 3-2 to the form with his kicking, converting converting allotted to him. P. Radio and Postal Sports Club at Wilson, on Club's left wing, showed a Sookunpoo jast Sunday. In the Brawn Cup League, the Reworking forwards for the Navy.

#### Durhams v. Kai Tak At Rugby To-day

The Durham Light Infantry will meet Kai Tak in a friendly game of rugby at Prince Edward Road to-day, commencing at

Godfrey and Lavalle.

The leams were: G. C. Godfrey and W. B. Richardson, headway against a strong visiting de-Navy: Snell; Mnc. Jeffries, Mid. fence. Teare, Richards and Addis; Mid. Homburg scored his goal one O'Riordan and Chapman; Marron, second before the final whistle, and Murray-Jones.

Badminton

#### St. John's Trounce Club de Recreio In "B" Division

Teresa's beat the Victoria Recreation the goals which beat him. Club by 8-1.

The scores were: Bt. John's v. Recreio

N. Belino and P. Yvarich (Recreio)
Iost to N. Bmith and P. Wilson 15-21; lost to N. Bmith and D. Kwok and D. Kwok 7-21.

A. E. Xavier and A. M. Rodrigues
(Recreio) lost to Eardiev and Beavan 11-21; lost to Smith and Wilson 4-21; lost to Kwok and K

···· V.R.C. - v; · St. ·· Teresa's

and Tang 6-21.

tween the civillan and army members of the Kowloon Cricket Club wish them further success on their will be played in the Kc.C. on Sunday afternoon next. The match will be played on the hardcourts.

Play starts at 2.30 p.m., and the Kc.C. civillan side will be represented by Messrs. A. Bone, Daves, but generally the defence found the generally the defence found the Capt. Chattey.

G. W. Cliffen, Hyatt, Joyce, Klozz, schoolgirs, too fast for them. Miss Simpson, Major Ardorne, and Misor Ardorne, and Misor Checkered carear.

I Capt. Burn (2), Lt. Forresder, and would offer an annual junket to the Orient.

BACKING MONTES

Bank have yet to meet Dodwells.

FILIPINO golfers are backing Days Capt.

Burn, Lt. Forresder, Lt. Chattey and Larry Montes, five-time winner of the Open tournament to bring the title of the Capt. Chattey.

## Royal Engineers' First Defeat In Tournament: Victory For Radio

GOOD NEWS has been received from Macao yeaterday evening, the Club during the New Year holidays. The Portuguese "A" defeated a weak Navy team at rugby by 30 points (3 goals, 5 tries) to 3 points played during the Easter Holidays instead of the played during the Easter Holidays instead of the

I should imagine the H.K.H.A. would be only too glad up forward where they used to agree with Macao's proposal. I am inclined to think their feet to advantage in that there would be too many counter attractions during the Chinese New Year. The Macao hockey players have For Club, Medman, playing at taken to soccer this season, but they are just as anxious scrum-half, was wild in his pass- to get back to the stick game once more, and are willing ing, which gave D. Hynes, at to meet all-comers from Hongkong in friendly fixtures stand-off half, an anxious time.

Singh broke through to level the and Miss M. Figueiredo comfirst half.

In the second half, the Radiomen took control of the game, and with fine combination and stick-work, the forwards got going, and two bril-liant goals were added by G. Singh

The winners were ably generalled by their tireless skipper, Gurbachan Singh, who was outstanding in the Leeuwen, Aitkenhead and Wilson, forward line for speed and opportun-Richardson converted three.

After the resumption, Medman was penalised for picking the ball out of the serum, and from the penalty kick, Jeffries converted. Club went further Gurdayal Singh were hard workers.

Jeffries converted. Club went further Gurdayal Singh were hard workers. ahend through tries by Wilson, The last line of defence did well and U. B. Silva was safe in goal.

Club: A. J. G. Taylor; H. Van Leeuwen, Aitkenhead, R. M. Lavalle and J. Redund P. Wilson; D. Hynes and J. Redman; W. Stoker, W. Burford, R. E. fast moving forwards, and their forwhen she collided with Miss C. Silva Heasman; R. M. M. King, L. A. Benn; wards being unable to make any

-Davies, Inglis; -- Longmuir, -- Barlow; was an untiring worker for the home Pay. Lt. Charles, Jones and Mid. side, combining attack with defence to great effect. Fox made many electrifying runs down the left wing stood the rules of the game, and man brothers, Al and Mery, of Bull In China in the first half, and Singleton, on the right wing, also sent in some ing infringements they knew nothing useful centres during this period.
The inside feiwards, however, gave their wingers poor support. Denyer definitely had an off-day. The Engineers' defence slackened in the second half, and it was error by Goodwin and Marriott which result-THREE "B" Division Badminton ed in the third goal being scored. matches were played yesterday. At Croston, at centre-half, however, was the Club de Recreio. St. John's always in the limelight, and strove trounced their hosts by 0-0. St. manfully to stay the progress of the Andrew's won their first match when Radio forwards. Russell played a they best the Mowloon C.C. by 7-2, safe game at full back, and Dobson T AM glad to hear that the and in the remaining game St. in goal could hardly be blamed for

they foded away for Radio to outplay ment fixture against the Royal

obtained their first victory team have done wise to transfer to authority than Gene Sarazm attests tion.

Kwok and Kwok 5-21.

W. M. Gillies and A. E. P. Guest (St. Andrew's) beat Kevan and T. Wanter-light back, the schoolights showed brilliant form and completely over-ran the schooling a commanding advantage.

Although the Ph'lippine Open dates were constituted at 10 a.m. It is going to be a tough match.

Obtaining a commanding advantage, the girls led by 3-1 in the first half, Miss June Moss, Miss Joan Bradbury and Wynter-Blyth 21-2; beat Kevan and Bishor 21-12.

The left wing combination of Miss

The left wing combination of Miss O. Arcull and S. A. Ruminhn (V. R. C.)

lost to P. Lo and Joseph Tsang 12-21; lost to John Them and F. Tsang B-21; beat good movements; and helped immensely towards their team's success.

P. M. Kavier and F. Castro (V. R. C.)

lost to Lo and Tsang 10-21; lost to Tsen and Tsang 22-24; lost to Ho and Tsang 23-24; lost to Ho and Ho Miss S. Rosseau. Miss P. Kirby and P. Guiterres and A. K. Humighn Miss J. Kew. The wing halves were A HONGKONG TEAM defeated cans assured for the 1940 event, there Megarry (11) one up; J. W. Mayhew (10) lost to Teen and Trang 14-21; lost to Ho forever breaking up numerous at the Durham Light Infantry by 4-3 in is promise that the tournament combant W. W. C. Shewan (9) six and four; lost to Teen and Trang 14-21; lost to Ho S. Edward (4) beat J. E. Richardson

to their credit but for the brilliance Capt. Burn was the outstanding Under present plans Open tourna- three and two; J. T. Emith (2) received of Miss Betty Goodwin, who played player on the field, scoring a beautiful ments would be held in Japan, Siam, a walk-over from L. M. S. Lloyd (15): a very sound game at full back. The shot from the 60 yard penalty line Australia, India, The Straits Settle- R. T. Butlin (16) beat W. Hewitt (13) two schoolgirls have reason to congratu- in the first chukka. An inter-club tennis match be- Inte themselves on such a fine vie- Goalscorers for Hongkong were months-off-season in the Statestween the civillan and army mem- tory, and with only ten players. I Capt. Burn (2), Lt. Forresder, and and would offer an annual junket to Customs: Hongkong and Shanghal Bank :

Mobbl, Sinton, Smeby- and Willcocks, B. Remedios was speedy on the right Kirby.

with their tackling, and were unable

Godfrey did well in the Club pack, with which dominated the tight scrums their first defeat in the the schoolgirls a trifle quicker on the through the excellent hooking of Association Tournament when ball, and worthy winners.

fine turn of pace in scoring two tries. first ten minutes, the Sappers creio beat the C.B.S. 4-0, in a Longmuir and Charles were hard- exerted great pressure through one-sided encounter. The Re-In the first half, Club scored their left wing, and Fox found creio juniors were by far the through Lavalle, Stoker, Van the net after a fierce attack. hetter team, and proved too After twenty minutes, however, the good for their inexperienced champions railled strongly and G. opponents. Miss M. Campos score in the closing minutes of the bined well in the attack, but Miss L. Rodrigues' display on the left wing was the bright feature of the game. Her nice centres paved the way for most of the goals which were scored. Miss M. Osmund, at pivot, was ulso good, and Miss M. Ribeiro, at left back, made several brillfant

> . Had the Recreio forwards taken their chances in the first half their score would probably have been

> WHILE the C.B.A. defence worked tremendously hard, making every effort at intercepting and tackling, their forwards were not conspicuous for their combination. Miss M. McFarlane, however, as

when she coilided with Miss C. Silva Among the Americans who The tournament will be played in an attempt to score. Miss Bonney, have signified their intention to under the U.S.G.A. rules, After at centre-half, was noticeable for have signified their intention to 36-hole medal play, the top 36 will some intelligent following-up, and seek golfing fame and money shoot for the title in match play. In the right back.

As a combination, the schoolgiris were poor, and are sadly in need of holder of the 1939 Canadian correct coaching. They barely under- Open crown, and the Zimmerwere continually pulled up for giar-

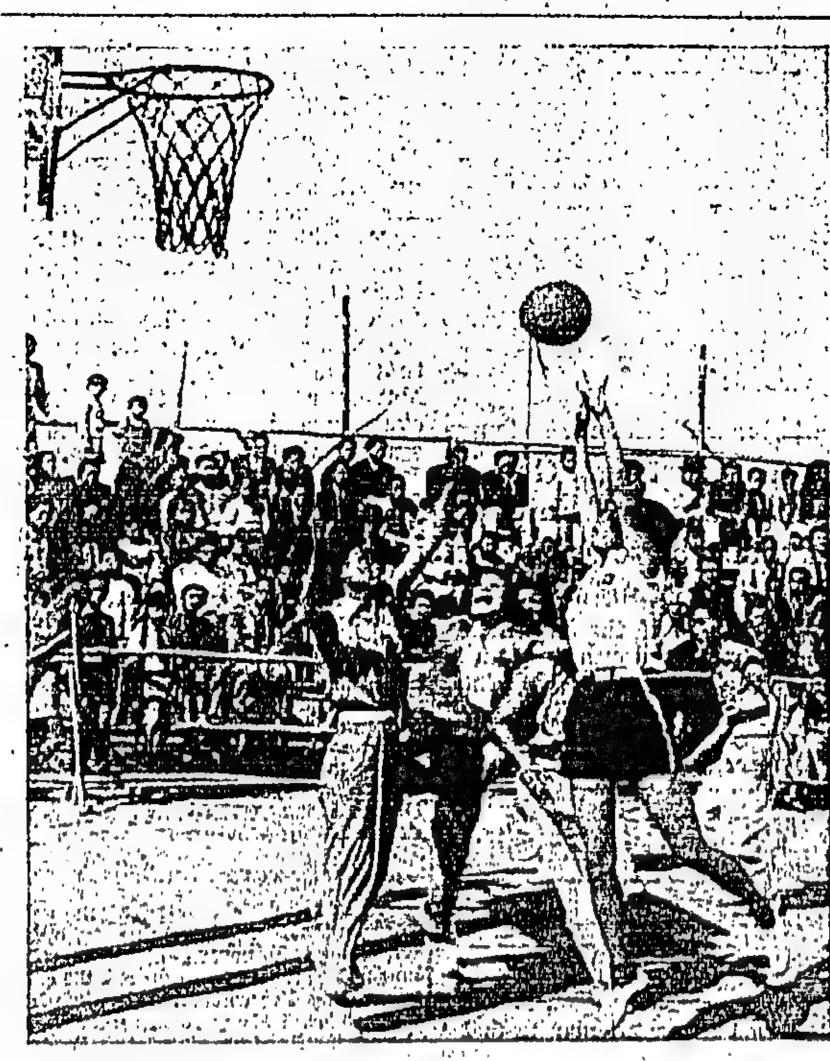
The umpires for this game again falled to appear, and a kind-hearted Pligrim consented to control the game on his own, as this would have been the third occasion the youngsters would have been let down. From what I hear, the girls are receiving very poor support from the School itself; and it is about time

someone took the team in hand. Sappers started with a rush but sented to play off their tourns-

H. Gonsalves and R. A. Marques [Reversio] lost to Eardley and Beavan 18-21;
It worth to Emith and Wilson 14-21; lost to Emit and Emit an

#### Hongkong Team **Beat Durhams** By 4-3

## INTERPORT AT EASTER?



One of the players taking a shot during the basketball match at the Fong Lam School where the Fong Lam girls beat the Kwangtung Girls High School last week-end.—S. H. Hsia.

### FOREIGN GOLFERS INVADE MANILA

### Open Tournament Starts To-morrow At Wack Wack

MANILA, Jan. 4 (UP).—The strongest array of foreign golfers ever to invade Manila will participate in the 28th annual \$5,000 Philippine Open tournament which starts here to-morrow.

H. J. Bolden, president of the Wack Wack Golf and Country Club, has announced that several stars from the United States, Australia and Japan have accepted

home are "Jug" MacSpaden, be 20 holes, stroke competition.

Portland, Oregon. Heading a delegation of Australians will be Norman von Nida, who will attempt to win his third Philippine Open title in as many years. With him will be Eric Cremin, a veteran Anzae professional, Jim Ferrier, holder of the Australian Open title the past two years, and Sam Richardson, former Australian Open chum-

At least 12 Japanese professionals and amateurs are expected to parti cipate, In the last tournament the Japanese monopolized practically all' C.B.A. have snortingly con- the places from second to the tenth.

AI TEST OF SKILL

participated.

Last January, John Montague, the "mystery" golfer and a Hollywood favourite, crossed the ocean expressly for the tourney and was thus the first American to invade the local Contain's Cup, first round, match-play Open. With at least three Americans, Riddell-Carro (16) beat T.

ments and Manila during the fall

was well backed up by Miss V. Moss, half-way around the world from the event of a tie, the play-off will

### Shop Does No Damage

NEW YORK, Dec. 12 (UI).—It finally happened-A bull got into a China shop to-day. The buil-Royalist Dandy Victor of Twin Oaks Farm, Morristown, N. J. -was led through the china shop by Fred Waring, orchestra leader. Both nearly died of fright, especially the bull.

It was on a bet. Waring lost a football -wager to Paul Douglas, Newsreel Sports Commentator, The forer had to lead a bull through a

and a tencup in the hope of arousing "Dandy," as he is known to his intimates, to anger and action. Dandy just blinked and turned his head away. Too noisy, apparently,

#### Results Of Fanling Golf Competitions

.The following are the results of recent competitions' played by the Royal Hongkong - Golf Club at

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G. M. Young Cup, first round, Butter-





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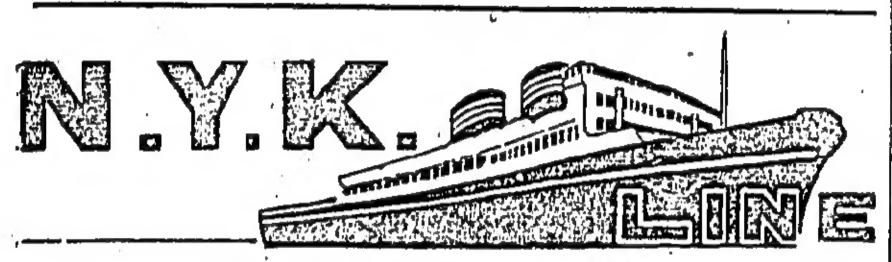
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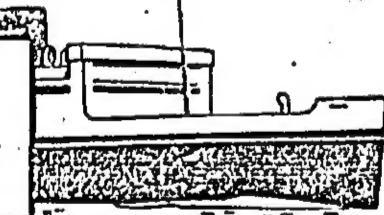
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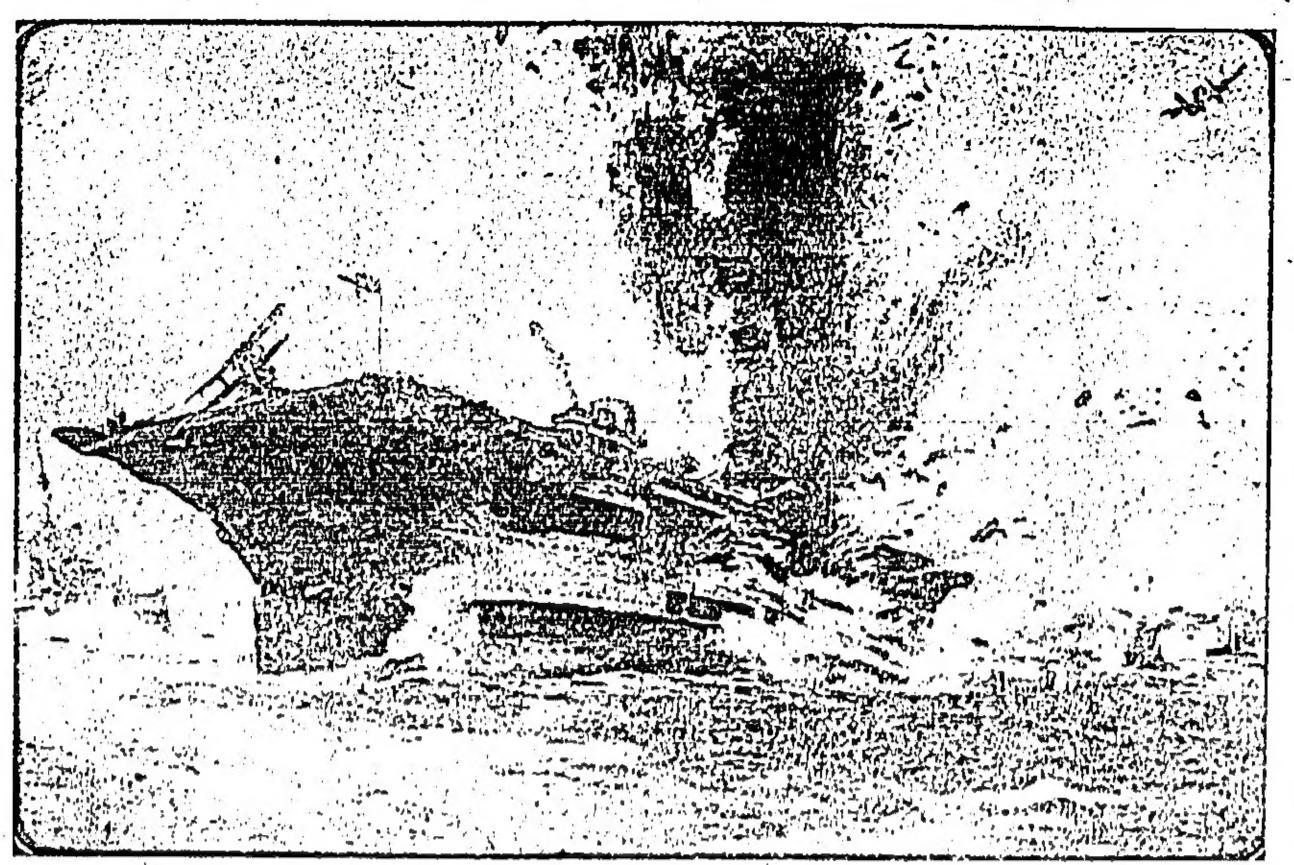
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makes

money out of

WILLIAM PATRICK HIT-LER (Willy), Adolf's Britishborn nephew, who is touring the United States and making big money with a series of lectures on "What the German people

lare thinking," sent a letter to a friend-in-London recently, and enclosed the prospectus of his

His agents, Harold R. Peat, of New York, say in their announcements that Willy Bitler "presents the startling story of the real Germany hid-den by Nazi fictions." Willy is the son of Adolf's halfbrother Alois, a Berlin restaurantkeeper. His mother is Irish, He was educated in England, and

went to live in Germany shortly after Hitler came to power in 1933. He and his mother went to the United States last February.

Adolf Relented

The announcements of his lecture

our (say)— "William Hitler has had slormy relations with his uncle. . I first, for political reasons, Adolf Hit or denied that they were blood relations.

"When William published articles at his father's request to correct certain mis-statements about his family, litter summoned him and his father to his hotel, and in a hysterical interview threatened to kill himself if anything more was published concerning his family offairs.

"Hitler releated a little when Villiam went to live in Germany." But Hitler become enraged when his nephew refused to obey com-mands, and at their final interview paced backwards and forwards, with horselide whip in his hands,

breatening him. Willy's mother says that Adolf was known in the family as "a man with a big mouth and a little hand." Her son predicts that the Nazi State cannot stand more than nine months of war.

Alois Hitler was a waiter in Dublin when he first met Willy's mother, a farmer's daughter. Three years after their wedding he deserted her nt Liverpool, and married bigamously in Germany.

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## PENDANT

Was Too Vivid

· Nazis Try To Explain Why Ark Royal Floats

BERLIN, Dec. 27 (Reuter).—
The Nazi Ministry of Information, headed by Dr. Goebbels, has
now explained why the British
nireraft-carrier, Ark Royal, is still afloa**t.**..

in a broadcast on Tue day night, a Common station appointed that Garage many never claimed to have sunk the HAR! Royal. She had merely asked Hawhere the aircraft canier was. The Realty alia, the cantestancer, t

in one typical broadcast from Zec-ea, it was inid: "It is clearly en-tablished that the Ark Royal was

that when dawn broke the next day the Ark Royal had disappeared. lenving only a huge pull of smoke to much the appl where the came had

(Clipped from last Thursday's "Hongkong Telegraph")

Imagination

would never give out information it which was not true. They, therefore, if could not have claimed to have sunk a 

The rame broadcast described, the Ark Royal as "like a gigantic torely lighting up the read and it was said

and the war sequences of the contract of the c

### Nazis Short Of Men and Materials

NAZI shipbuilding yards engaged on the construction of U-boats are short of skilled labour and material:

The Stettin yard, which is engaged exclusively on naval work, has had to increase working hours. Only in this way is the yard able to keep up its turnover. The lack of skilled men

Krupps, too, according to reports from German sources, are experiencing the same difficulty. Another yard affected is the famous Blohm and Voss concern at Hamburg.

Ships Undelivered

At the outbrenk of war there was a large number of ships under con-struction in German yards for for-eign countries in exchange for frozen credits. -Many of these vessels are still undelivered owing to the lack

of materials. Germany's claims that she, can balance her submarine losses by new boats are vasily exaggerated. She also claims that in 1917 her U-boat output was one a day and that she expects to improve on

that production. In actual fact the production of -German\_submarines\_in\_1917\_did\_not approach the figure they claim. For the whole of that year the number

commissioned was only 87, varying between four and 12 per month. Shipbuilding experts with whom I have discussed the question and who know the German yards intimately are convinced that the Nazis cannot possibly produce more than six Uboats each month under favourable conditions. " And they are being sunk

at that rate, by the Allied navies.

## 1.000.000 War

AMSTERDAM.

HITLER'S much-vaunted plan of war finance cannot get going.

Though Germany has today more than 1,000,000 workless, skilled labour is lacking everywhere.

These 1,000,000 unemployed -official figures, naturally, do not admit the real total-are not workers in heavy industry. They are employed in trades supplying the consumption goods employment in Germany. which have now been rationed. The Nazi regime and tried to remedy the lack of skilled labour, Dutch workers in Germany has connot by transfers from the undersiderably decreased. employed trades; but by increasing

working hours. Overwork Strain

So disastrous was the effect on men already worn down by wartime speeding-up and shortage of food that the shorter hours had to be re-

One glance at the death notices in factory accidents are rising. As from January 1 onwards, there- to reports received here. fore, working hours may not exceed 10 a day unless special permission is

further to investigate whether the workers can sland even a 10-hour day on war rations. . It is empowered to reduce them ogain if this proves to be necessary -and in any case overtime has to be

pald after eight hours.

# Finance

Night work for women, and youths has been stopped altogether, their health was suffering so much.

Many women, indeed, are trying to avoid war-time factory work altogether by getting married.

Matrimonial advertisements by women seeking husbands have increased so amozingly that in some newspapers there are whole pages of

All these circumstances are making the already existing shortage of skilled Inbour really critical.

Vigorous attempts have been made

to recruit skilled Dutch workless for But they have met with little success; since the war the number of

Germans Execute

## Girl Student

BUDAPEST. The Germans have imprisoned and the papers published in industrial executed a young girl student in towns shows to what tragle heights Warsaw on a charge of having de-

The posters depict war ruins and wounded civilians on one side and The Reich Labour Control Office is Underneath is the caption: "England, you have done this." Practically every poster, however, has the word "England" defaced,

The girl student's execution was described by the Germans as l example to others.

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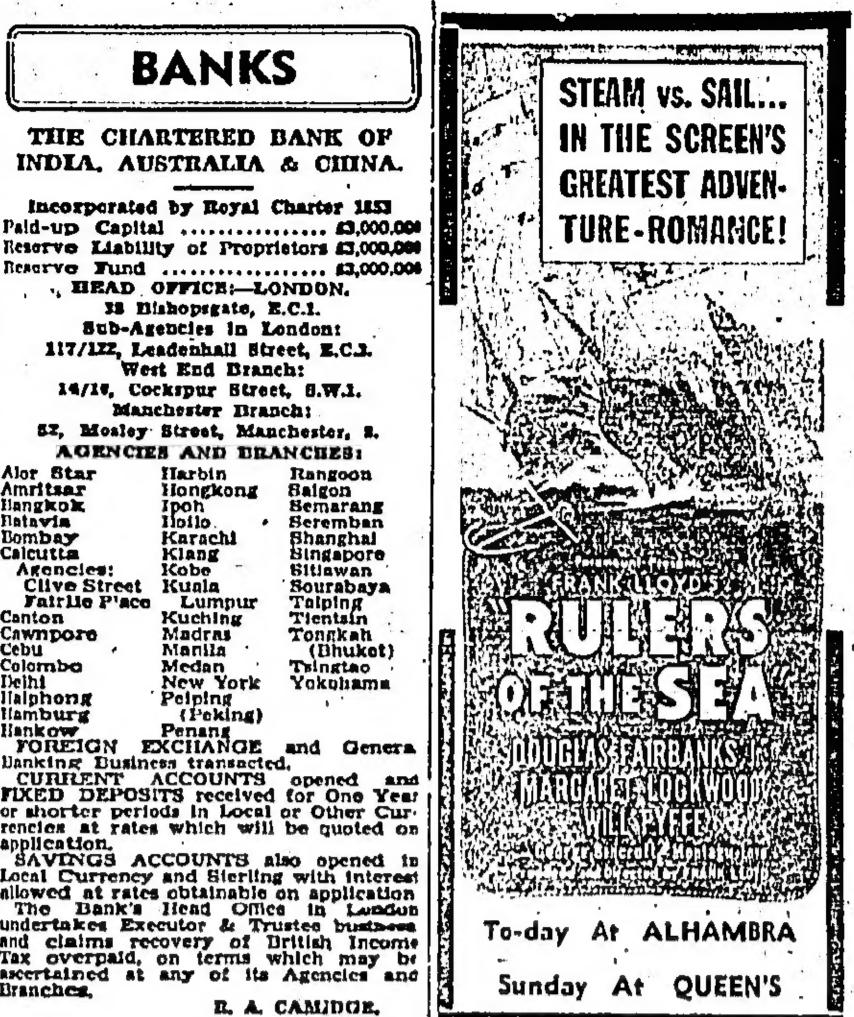
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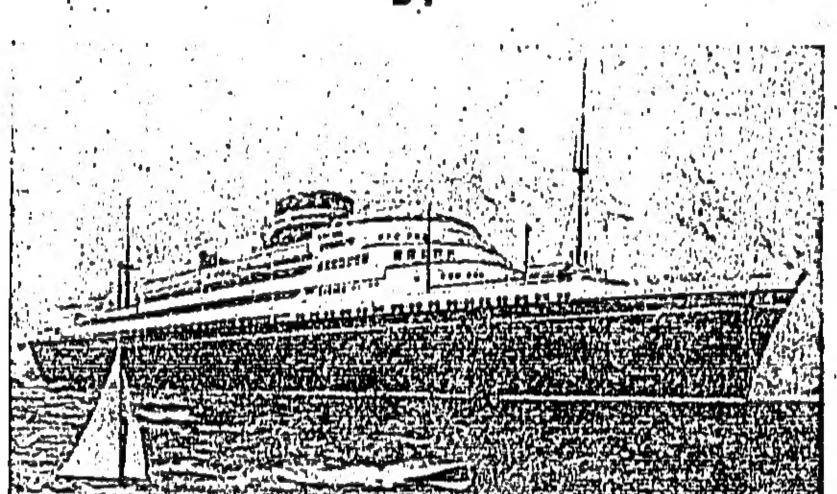
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six rows. Where larger pearls are

Jewellery sets comprising necklace,

with large, smoky pearla set in the

Charming necklaces and bracelets

are also made of oxidized "metal

In some of these pieces of mother-

Small pearl-tinted periwinkle

House Hints

TNO remove mould from furniture,

To clean a solled clothes line, wrap

it round a washboard, and scrub

with soup and water. Rinse under

Stiff paint brushes will again be-

PRUNE SALAD

the tap and dry out of doors,

shells form other necklaces.

has been added.

ing point.

### Your Children Chilblains? Get

with our greater possibilities for adequate home heating, the chilblain is far less evident than formerly,

But as it produces a winter crop of annoyance for so many we cannot afford to ignore it. It is easy enough to say what a chilblain is, but it is by no means Remedies? so easy to any, medically speaking. what causes it. Patches of skin at cortain areas (on the toes, the fingern right now who finds himself rubbing the sides of the feet, either side of and scratching at hot painful chil- Common Sense und sein mile oven somewhite on an engigerated of there is a considerable amount. So far I have not said a word daisies set on gold links, with a cars) react in a highly exaggerated. There is a considerable amount to said the comwhat makes them do this is another simple home measures first.

#### Theories

are due to a poor circulation is prob- chemist for some calcium tablets is lowing list:

French medical minds see a connect clous vitamin (fish-liver oils, fatty cheap fiesh-coloured woollen under- is cut in a fancy design, or is shaped tion between chilblains and a pos- fish, eggs, milk and butter).

#### First Step

covery. For although we have not Then apply a stimulating cintment yet planed down the actual cause, it (such as methyl salicylate olutiment sis perhaps of even greater importis well known that certain conditions or lodex).

as well. cular predisposition: any one of the skin is healed, ditions of health may have to be which car be done for the chronic benefit by a mineral tonic,

Instructions by Director

For Coming Week

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Fortheoming Lectures in English for

The notice issued in Orders No. 15 dated December. 25. regarding students who passed an examination at the Central Fire Station is hereby cancelled and the following substituted:

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Fire Brigade Instructors: Mr. Chung Wing-kwong, Mr. Ng Hong-yat, Mr. Wong Wal-tsol, Mr. Ki Iu-woon and Mr. Wong

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Hongkong, Tuesdays and Fridays, 5.45. Ib. cheese go nearly as far us 1 lb.! p.m., commencing January 10, Lecturer: Cut 1/4 lb. cheese into small pieces.

Air Raid Precautions:

## To-DAY, with our changing and health, and especially By Dr. Mary and health, and especially Anthony

tackled strenuously before hoping to a course of galvanie hand or foot large clusters of enamelled leaves baths. into such a buoyant state that winter cold and damp will spell exhibararecommend bandaging the less (as cut leaf-shaped, or fligreed gold balls)

But what is the poor sufferer to do directly on the affected chilblains.

manner to severe cold or damp. But that he can do. Let us take the about what we might call the com- brooch and ear-rings of blue daisies

turned down the theory of calcium vention of chilblains that I wanted shortage as the origin of the trouble to leave it last for emphasis. there is no doubt whatever that . The essential factor making for There have been many theories, giving calcium works wonders in the prevention, and cure of chil- chain. These, while being in the The popular notion that chilblains many cases. And so a visit to the blains might be grouped in the fol- most up-to-date tradition, have the

was blamed for the trouble for a half to one pint of milk daily (to signifies plenty of milk, fresh fruit From France come shell necklaces while, but recent research has secure a very easily assimilated and vegetables. proved that in most cases no short- form of calcium) makes another wise step. But it must be remem- vent sudden chilling at any time. root of the matter lies in a delayed sorption we need Vitamin D, so look ings and gloves—the silk-stocking mussel are strung on a thick silk clotting power of the blood. And to your winter sources of this pre- wearer who has failed to discover the cord. In others the mother-of-pearl

sible predisposition towards tuber- Now the chilblain itself must be chilblains. broken the following makes an old should insist on some form of cen- of pearl shells with small searlet and useful remedy. Steep the tral heating in every school that can cowrie shells lying in them, and some - affected part in a bowl containing afford it. A child or young person who is equal parts of hydrogen peroxide repeatedly affected by chilblains (15 vols.) and builing water for to cold and damp—this applies esshould be thoroughly overhauled by from 5 to 10 minutes once a day. a doctor as a first step towards re- Dry theroughly and friction gently.

of ill-health are frequently found in . If this is carried out at night, the association with chilblains, and if chilblain may be painted in the these conditions are removed, the morning with varogen iodine (which skipping, tap-dancing ballet-dancing, "chilblains have a way of vanishing does not stain) or with a paint of skating and cycling. Friar's Balsam and menthol (which . Under-nourishment: any source of can be purchased at any chemist's). chronic infection (such as septic Of course, it is quite a different tonsils, decayed teeth, etc.); en- matter if the skin is broken. Then doerline imbalance (much as that the treatment lies in applying hot by a thyroid gland de- hydrogen peroxide compresses, fol-Helency); anaemla; chronic con- lowed by a soothing ointmen't spread

Hints For Butter

And Cheese

Economy

WHERE there are growing boys

used three rows are considered suf-ficient. Pink is the favourite colour, sufferer-but, as I said before, a visit to the doctor is the wise prelude;
The doctor may decide to hasten the calcium treatment by a short course of "colloidal cateium" injections. He may decide (especially in the case of over-fat and rather the case ove dullish adolescent girls) that thyrold | The most fashlonable necklaces, extract is called for. He may order however, ore much more "barbarle"

Thursday.

tion rather than painful itehy masses in variouse veins) to help a rather feeble circulation in its work. And more than likely he will wish to give his patient a course of ultra-violet ray treatment, both generally and

consisted of four rows of small blue mon sense treatment of chilblains. Although above we seem to have This is so bound up with the pre-

medallions in a conventional floral design, strung together on a thin A full varied winter diet with an by some people than the more flam-

shortage of calcium in the blood. A visit to a milk bar for an extra ample supply of vitamins-which boyant gold and gem jewellery.

of various kinds, but all of them in Sufficiently warm clothing to pre- the new outsize form. Warm and sufficiently loose stock- of-pearl the size and shape of a

Adequate indoor-heating-parents There are some necklaces made up

pearl are interspersed with pearls and Shoes with stout soles impervious slippers during school hours. Fresh air-ventilation in winter

Indoor and outdoor exercise-excellent, "chilblain" exercises include

Sunlight—every possible ray natural sunshine should be absorbed during the summer, and perhaps a course of sun-ray treatment taken in the early winter months. Avoldance of constinution.

Winter tonies where necessarystipation; any mild kiciney or heart on clean lint. And more vigorous the thin over-energetic child may Condition, and, possibly, a tuber- treatment may be tried later when need the fattening comfort of the these or similar "below par" con- There is yet a tremendous amount plump, lazy dreamer may stand, to

## Savoury Filling

I making a pie-crust you need required. never be at a loss for an appetising W and girls, the butter disappears lunch or supper dish: You can vary like magic. Here is an excellent way your fillings, and economy can be served in a quite agreeable way by

margarine. Add a little more salt, Sleed onion and potatoes, raw or and mix the two well together with your butter-pats, and you will find egg, grated cheese, and mixed ham the mixture a very good and cheese and mixed and mixed ham the mixture a very good and cheese and mixed a filled a find a filled and the mixture a very good and cheese and mixed ham the mixture a very good and cheese and mixed ham the mixture a very good and cheese and mixed a filled a fi the mixture a very good and cheap will not only make a filling go far- oz. sugar and the juice of half a Add 1 cupful sliced tomatoes and ther, but also make your ple more lemon.

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Road, Hongkong. Training

Take 1 dessertspoon comflour and lowing instructors a milical for the lowing instructors at an examination result, held:

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Take 1 dessertspoon comflour and one breakfast cup milk. Break the comflour amount in the boil, stirring all the time, When cold, stirring all the time, When cold, stirring all the time, When cold, stirring all the magazine with a wooden spoon and slowly stir in cornflour spoon and slowly stir in cornflour mixture. Later make into pats.

Cheese Paste

Take 1 dessertspoon comflour and conting and surround to make steak and potato pie you almonds and surround to require one pound of stewing steak, and inrige raw potato, two tomptoes and cornst tirt up, roll the pieces well in flour and seasoning, and stew till tender. Lay in a dish, alternating meat with thinly sliced potato and tomato, pour in the gravy, cover when cool with a nice crust, and bake for an hour in a moderate oven.

Cheese Paste

cooked cod, two hard-bolled eggs, Here is a good way of making 14 two boiled potatoes, some thick white Mr. S. V. Boxer, H. Sc.

Cut 1/4 lb. cheese into small pieces.

Source, a pinch of mace, pepper, and
Break down 1 desserts poon cornflour

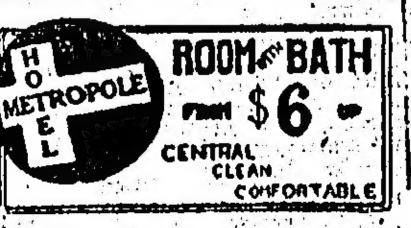
Vardens.—Chinese Chamber of Commerce.

In a smooth made with the first configuration of the fish, line a well—

Vardens.—Chinese Chamber of Commerce.

> Liver and bacon ple-One pound; of liver, several slices of bacon, some good dripping, mashed potatoes and one onion. Grease a ple-dish, put in thinly-sliced liver, finely chopped onion, some potato and seasoning.
>
> Dot with bits of dripping, repeat the
> layers, and bake three-quarters of an hour. Then make a crust with mashed potato, a little flour and drip-

nade upon the services of the Royal press the vermicelli into the pastry National Lifeboat Institution during and then fill the dish with the other brutal and indiscriminate use of and turn out when baked a good



# bracelet, brooch, and ear-rings in gold thickly loaded with pearls or enamelicd flowers are also popular. One set seen recently was decorated form of bunches of grapes; while in another the necklace and bracelet

This luxurious far-trimmed coat illustrates the use of sheared beaver in a flared skirt panel. The little doughnut collar is effectively echoed in a beaver bumper brim, hat. The fabric is a smooth black woollen conting.

### Worth Remembering

THE taste of burnt milk can be re-L moved by adding to the milk whilst still hot a pinch of salt and a pinch of caster sugar.

If a small piece of washing soda is added to the blue water when washing clothes there will be no more streaky marks.

To shine shoes quickly do not brown or blacken. Rub over with a put two teaspoonfuls ammonia piece of orange, let the juice dry on, into a pint of bolling water and then polish in the usual way. sponge until clear. Wipe dry, and For dirty marks on distempered polish quickly with a rag moistened walls, make a paste of fuller's earth with polish to which oil of lavender and water. Spread it well over the stains and leave to dry. Remive

with a coorse flannel cloth. Medicine stains on silver spoons should be rubbed off with methylated spirit. Afterwards wash the spoons in het soapy water.

come pliable if sonked bristle-deep in Marks caused by hard water on vinegar that is heated almost to boilwhite porcelain baths can be re-To renovate winter dresses and moved by rubbing with a cut lemon hnts, first dissolve one dessertspoon-Olive oil is a safe and suitable water. Add one teaspoonful each of all sorts of oxydised metals and vinegar, methylated spirit, ammonta, should always be used for bronze and gurn water, and mix thoroughly and chromium.

#### together. Pour into a bottle und Liver And Spaghetti

TARY a large, chopped onion with DRUNE salad makes a delicious ac- 1 1 lb. liver cut into thin slices, eking out meat and fish-with odus. I companiment to cold meat dishes, toss them in seasoned flour and fry Soak 1/2 lb, prunes overnight in 1/2 the liver illi nicely browned.

tasty.

Here are some recipes for savoury through a sieve and pile the purce salted water till tender. Drain it in a dish Sprinkle with chopped and spread over the liver, sprinkle To make steak and potate pie you almonds and surround with water- with grated cheese and return to the

silhouette.

Here it is

carries a rich

silver fox.

suedo bag is

motif.

The antelope

gloves are in a

#### This Winter's fashions hark back to the Edwardian era, revived in the hourglass embodled in this black crepe dress. and the black suede sandals. hugging the feet clear up to the ankles. The model neckplece and wears a pill box hat of the same fur. A lovely black also in hourglass soft rose colour.

B. M.

### Crossword Puzzle

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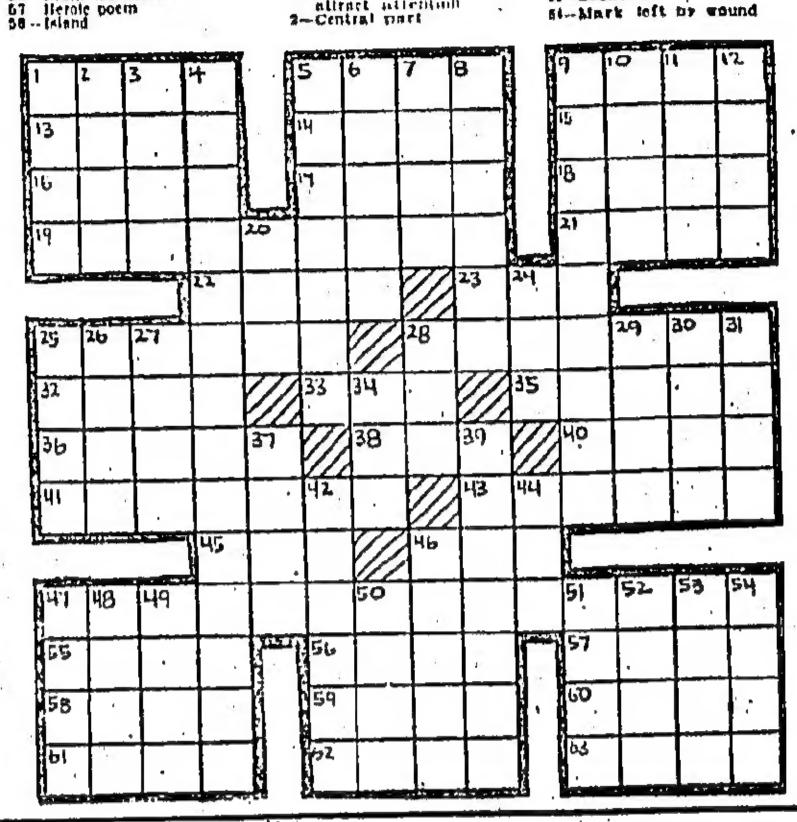
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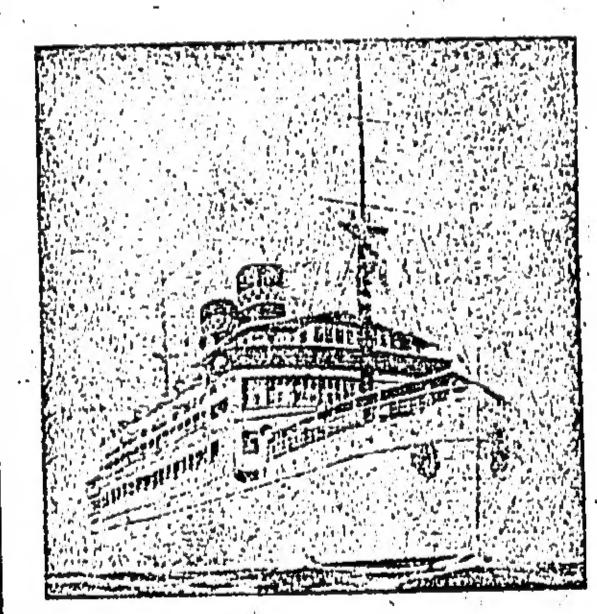
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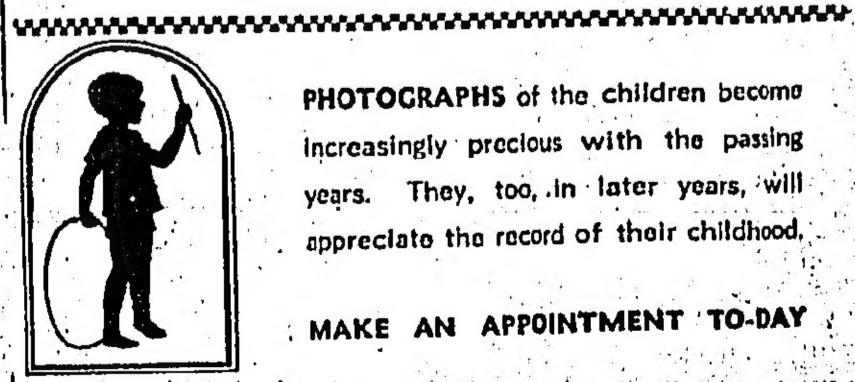
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### Saved London, Jan. 3. The exceptionally heavy demands Grease a pie-dish, line with pastry,

toast instead of butter.

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#### For Pies TF you have learnt the knack of cork tightly, and use this solution as

Take 1 lb, of salt butter and 12.1b. and ends from the larder.

To "spin out" your margarine is tasty.

Wardens.—Chinese Chamber of Commerce, to a smooth paste with 1/2 tenspoon bullered dish with potato slices, on Connected Road, Honescong, Wednesdays till the dish is full. Cover with a

Wardens.—Chinese Chamber of Commerce, Connought Road, Hongkong, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 7.30 p.m., commencing January 0. Lecturer: Mr. Int Do-man, School, Yee Woo Street, Causeway Bay. Tuesdays and Saturdays at 7.30 p.m. commencing January 0, Lecturer: Mr. Paul Chak, Lagi. rather rich crust and bake till golden

> ping cover and brown. Swiss ple-A pound of cooked veal, two ounces each of cooked ver-micelli and cold ham, a little grated cheese, some white sauce, salt,

were awarded during the year to





Even sandals are hourglass,

shown at right.

#### NANCY



HITLER THREAT:

1066 (all ) AGAIN?

By CHARLES FOLEY

of Europe. It is a blood-curdling threat to send the

German Navy through a lane of German mines to

England and to land on her coasts the first foreign.

army since William the Conqueror did the trick in

Nazi suicide squads would Recently the Deutsche Wehr, Journal

Hoat down by parachute to seize of the lighting forces, gave some idea,

England's power stations. Goer- of how it might be done-on paper.

HITLER throws his last card on the poker table





## RAIDER IN HIMSELF

brought down in the North Sea during a raid on Britain is believed to have committed suicide rather than endure any longer the misery of long exposure in the water.

His was one of two airmen's bodies washed up in Norfolk, one at Happisburgh, the other at Mundesley, feven miles away. Both had been in the water about three days.

The body at Mundesley, which was in an inflated life jacket, had a bullet wound in the temple. As there was also an empty revolver holster it is thought probable the man shot himself.

The body at Happisburgh had bullet wounds in the eye and leg. These were probably received during an air engagement, for an automa-tic pistol was in the dead man's pocket. It would have been impos-sible for him to replace this after turning it on himself.

ing's air squadrons would pound

attack cannot long be delayed. Ger-

man divisions are massed at war

strength from the North Sea to

Switzerland-along 700 miles of Ger-

The Daily Express military corres-

!: With the rapidity of movement

possible to-day we must be ready for anything-and we must not be

The military correspondent sug-

There is one very sinister feature

gests that German troop movements

may; be intended for the present to

this time. The troop moves come at

a time when Germany is charging

Belgium with unneutral conduct

And the place where the concentra-

tion is most intense—except on the

French front-is on the Dutch fron-

(German' Commander-in-Chief) in-

tends to put into practice the old

pre-1914 plan of invading Belgium

through the Maestricht Appendix

(that strip of Holland that juts down

Low Countries were staged the op-

posite would be the case."

tral lournalists in Berlin.

"This may mean that Brauchitsch

surprised if nothing happens,"

pondent says there is only one at-

Where will the blow fall?

When this move falls-the big other sector."

London to the dust.

no more islanda now."

man frontier.

itude to adopt: -

try our nerves, but-

and Holland.

## Fears Gestapo

AMONG the millions who listen-in to "Big-Hearted" Arthur Askey when he makes his crucks at "Old Nasty," there is one who does not laugh any more. She !

... All last week Big's wife was besecching him to "lay-off" Hit-

"It's because the missus loves me h lot," he said. "She's got the idea that Hitler has branded me as his Public Enemy No. 1 and will get his Gestapo to bump me off in the black-out.

The King, through his Comptroller, asked for a copy of Askey's parody of "Run, kabbit, Run." It has been supplied by the B.B.C.

"Britain's 'superior havy,' " said

parachute.

## NEW YORK. SUPER - WARPLANES are made available to France and England

through the American War Department's relaxation of their rigid ban on the export of new types of aircraft.

> U.S. designers in Los Angeles, centre of the industry, declared that they are now free to sell fighters which will travel at 460 miles an hour or more, and bombers with a speed and range greater than any foreign bomber now in the air.

Most important is Lockheed's secret twinengined interceptor which has flown across the American continent at a top speed of 460 miles an hour, and which its makers claim can go even

Other types now free for export include:-A bullet-nosed low-wing

pursuit plane, developed by Vultee, which manoeuvres at speeds ranging from 360 to more than 400 miles an hour. A medium-sized bomber by Douglas, which is claimed to be the fastest bomber in the air. Douglas still refuse to release details of the

performance of this plane; and An attack bomber—also by Douglas—which is claimed to be 20 per cent, better than any European

 Secret Records The Douglas Company are now working on a single-engined dive bomber which is said to have broken all performance records in closely guarded secret tests at their factory.

Lockheed's twin-engined plane, the Y8-38, was so striking in its potentialities that the U.S. Army Air Corps placed a two million pounds order for the model before its tests were

Through the co-operation of the American High Command all, these planes and three other secret models will be made available to Allied purchasers. All are ready to be built

### in any quantity to order. Control A heavy programme of entertain-

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

Observers state that the Ajax exactly at the right time in the right statement by the Ministry of shows no traces of her battle with lace, by attacking as soon as the statement by the Ministry of It says that since January 1, it is

> Zealanders behaved magnificently in Certain exceptions are still being given tor goods ordered and paid for before November 27, and hardship cases are also taken into account. But

Camouflago Attempts There is increasing evidence, says the Ministry, that certain firms in It is understood that several of selves to attempts to camouflage goods

miral Graf Spec. One man is being to check such traille.

sent ashore for liespital treatment. The statement adds that United

Members of the crew said that States exporters are taking readily splinters made several boles in the to the system of navicerts, and during light armour, but no direct his December, the first month of their were registered by the Germans uperation, applications were made for It has been disclosed that the look-about 250,000 tons of goods under

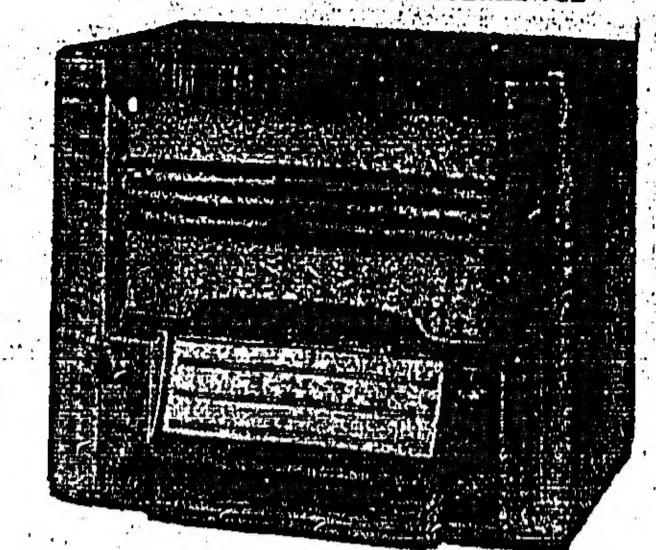
SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" Although no damage is visible OSLO, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—The Gerfrom the outside a huge shell hole mun assertion that the Allies, particuwas noted by the "United Press" inrly Great Britain, are using the AND FRANCE? Well here's a true ship.

story that chine in.

The shell had apparently entered the Scandinavian states in their own on the 120,000 French people of on the port side and passed through war is described in the "Dagbladet" correspondent when he boarded the Soviet-Finnish conflict as a lever to

leave to-day with a triumphal parade more to be regarded in Berlin as an

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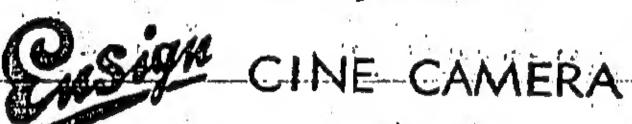
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## conqueror urgent appeal to the man who the attackers own fleet, by prepared PCCCIVES WAPIN WEICOMIC

shouted to the Reichstag, "There are rows of mines, by submarine flotilias and so on. In fact, the line of at-

The Ajax fired a salvo when Argentine authorities went aboard. Then comes the method of surprise attack-mass landing by "An advance detachment of storm- Montevideo marine arsenal. troops and engineers, lightly armed, are landed by parachute. They berth vacated by the cruiser, Captain Parry, in an interview, exdraw a cordon round the chosen Uruguay, while ships sounded their pressed appreciation at the magni-

"The third wave brings a greater number of troops with light tanks and flame throwers in large transport planes, which land. Once a foothold is gained the success of the invasion Montevideo, depends on skill and offensive surge.

After that a significant footnote: police cordons time and again. "The nattacker would, of course, time the enterprise to coincide with other operations especially mass air Note the expression "of course." and his officers. Because the important German

newspaper Deutsche Allgemeine to the Polo Club for a picnic as guest Zeitung, declared that England of the Pro-Ally Committee, and ancould only be crushed in the same other 200 will be sam.larly enterway, as the Romans, crushed the tained to-morrow. Carthaginians—"by destroying the enemy's, capital."

between Belgium and Germany) and England sheds a fascinating sidelight the Pro-Ally Committee to-day .... so turning the Belgian frontier fortion German wish-thinking-cum-pro-"The report that German head paganda. But Germany's neutral quarters are at. Godesherg on the neighbours are not to be deluded Rhine bodes no good for Belgium again. They believe the thrust will come elsewhere.

"On the other hand, one fast preLGEUM believes that the first makes an immediate attack less attack will fall on Holland. One likely. This is that there are at pre- reason for this is that fall, German sent fewer troops in the north than gold deposits in Holland have been -A roaring welcome was given the on the Saar, If a big attack on the withdrawn and sent to Denmark.

Hitler's grandiose plan for the in- HOLLAND is not really worried. vasion, of England-Napoleon was The Dutch reckon that the Belglans

bitten by the same germ nearly 140 will catch it instead. years. ago, but he never got nearer Geoffrey Cox, Daily Express Staff restrain the growd which sought than collecting his men on the Reporter in Amsterdam, cannot con- rush the gangway. French coast-was confided to neu-firm those reports of heavy German troop concentrations on the Dutch Selkirk Panton, Daily Express sinft frontier,

reporter in Copenhagen, says that And the Dutch Government state German frontier-is packed, with Danish reporters were treated to the with official blitheness that there is troops and prepared for any move. no sign of a German threat to Hol-1. Hitler is massing a great army land.

and a fleet in north-west German Switzers.AND is a little nervous. ports, which lies only in hour's the superstructure above decks com- as "fantasy."

2. The Fuchrer's mysterious daily dent in Basic, says that when tele- drive belind the Maginot Line, were pletely shattering the Commander's The journal adds that obviously to deposit an overwhelming force in zerland and Germany was cut last ready, if they wished to leave. The crows of Englandis and men-d-war commenced their shore Russia, which is coming more and a new one in the German mind. Basic itself-it lies on the French- Just Ofty-seven.

And the fact that the plan is wild: tack might be along a sort of lane by impracticable supports the belief sheltered by both sides. One could warm welcome was given to H.M.S. Ajax when she Contraband arrived here to-day on a 48-hour courtesy visit.

Tribute To C.-in-C.

action by concentrating his ships

10,000 Civo Welcome

undamaged.

her arrival and the British Ambas-

H.M.S. Ajax docked at 9.45 a.m.

sador was the first to go aboard.

rnider.

a guard of honour.

A crowd of 10,000 people witnessed

she was two miles out of port! and this was returned by the ments is provided for the officers and Two special tugs led her to the place of attack; they block all roads sirens and a crowd of thousands of licent reception and paid a tribute to and railways leading to it. Rein- Uruguayans and members of the the manner in which Rear-Admiral

> shows no traces of her battle with the Graf Spec, whose battered Graf Spec was sighted and giving Economic Warfare, hulk she passed on her way into

Large crowds broke through the The British Minister to Uruguay and members of the Legation staff went on board and were received by Rear Admiral Sir Henry Harwood

To-day, 200 of the crew went out

Rear Admiral Harwood, and his officers, are, guests of the British Altogether, the attack direct on Legation and will, be entertained by

Attents reported that HIM. S. Achiller, another of the three ships in the Graf Speci battle, in nove on her way up the liver Plate to pay a similar visit to Buenos Aires and the Argentine Republic at ...

Welcomo To Achilles. BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 3 (Reuter). British cruiser, H.M.S. Achilles, non outs abourd the Achilles won a prize navicerts. her arrival here on a courtesy vieit. of EI for first sighting the German Crowds lined the wharves and cheer-

Thousands of people were kept back Thunderous applause greeted Adby a corden, and the Police had to miral Harwood as the victor of the Punta de Leste battle when he strode down the gangway after inspecting After the cruiser had moored, the

through the streets

## New Methods Now Being Adopted

forcements are dropped in the same British colony cheered themselves Sir Henry Harwood conducted the The tightening of the control of

orders so unmistakeably that although the Achilles had joined the the normal practice to divert to a equadron only two days before the control base any ship whose cargo is nction, Captain Parry knew exactly not wholly covered by certificates of what to do if they met the Graf Spee origin issued by Allied Consular Captain Parry added that the New officers.

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 3 (UP) been refused and some cargoes have H.M.S.; Achilles docked; at 2.10 p.m. been unloaded at the control bases The British warship appears to be and detained:

the crew, were injured; by shell of enemy origin as neutral goods, and splinters in the battle with the Ad- the necessary steps are being taken

what Germany fears is that the Allies

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"Sabotage in Czecho-Slovak factories is due to the evil influence of s being freely mentioned in Belgrade, culated on the basis of one-sixth of Government with regard to the They point out that companies an ounce of butter and one-seventh is being freely mentioned in Belgrade. of these alleged Boy Scouts were ne- of an ounce of sugar per meal served, customed to camp in the areas where including afternoon tea, for which no December 14 on two Irishmen. sabotage has occurred, and they took butter was allowed during the last advantage of the opportunity to war, spread anti-German feeling among the local population.

EUROPEAN TACKLES ROBBERS

Shanghai, Jan. 3.
The superintendent of the China Car and Foundry Company, Mr. John R. Nielson, was attacked in his office by six Chinese thugs armed with Mausers and hand grenndes. They demanded-Mr. Nielson to hand over the pay roll of Yuan 8,000. It is believed that the thugs were strike

ngitators. Mr. Nielson selzed the gun of the nearest assailant, whereupon the other surprised thugs dashed to the door. The last man threw a hand grenade. It did not explode,

Mr. Nielson chased the fleeing the plan. thugs and grappled with one of them. He took a gun from another and chased away the last thug, who pumped shots at Mr. Nielson at close range, but did not hit him. Three hundred employees were huddled at one end of the compound

and watched the thugs escape.-United Press.

### Push-And-Pull Border

WASHINGTON Government of ficials ruled recently that American U-boot losses by the building of new warplanes bought by the French, boats. Brilish and Canadian Governments could not be flown to Canada under their own power, and could not take off from American soil for flights across the Atlantic.

Under international law, it was ruled, this would constitute an armed expedition.

Experts agreed, however, that there was nothing to prevent planes being have been sunk since the war beflown to the Canadian border and gan. being pushed or pulled across the border without being dismantled. Once an American plane is across smaller, he border there is nothing to prevent being flown across the Atlantic.

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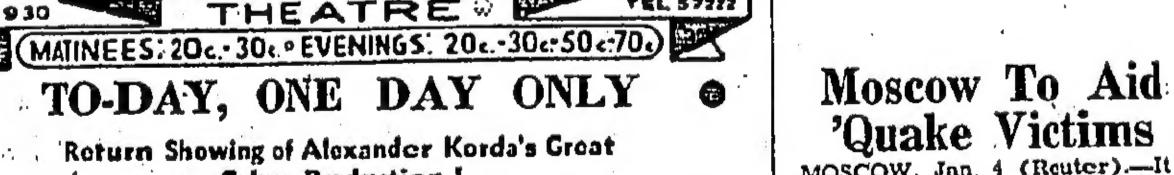
TORONTO, Jan. 4 (Reuter).—Air Chief-Marshal Brooke-Popham, a

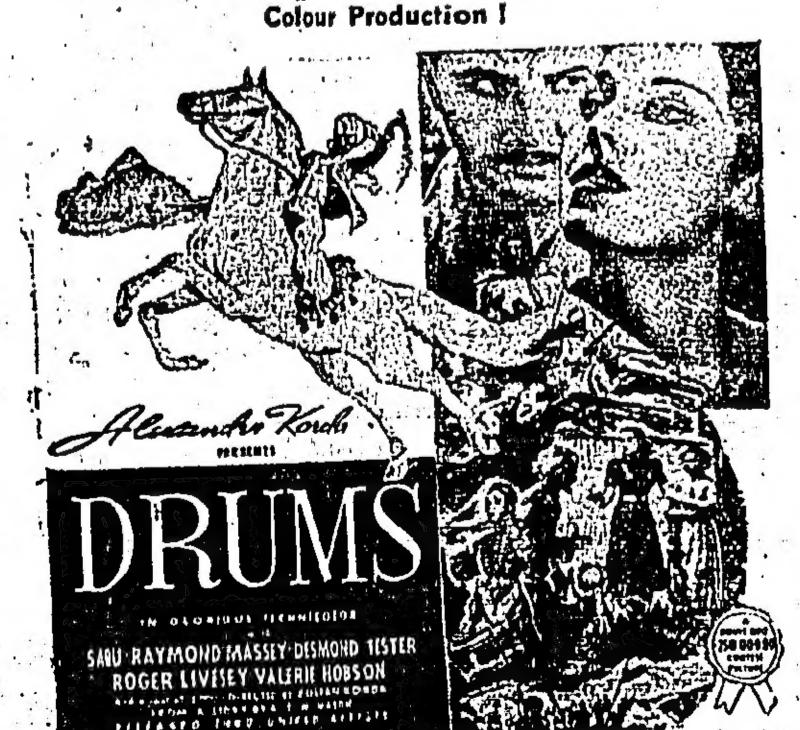
member of the British Air Mission,

is remaining in Canada to superviso the Empire Air Training Scheme in

co-operation with the Chief of Staff of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

the carthquake victims in Turkey.





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# Homeside Rationing Next Week

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter).—The Ministry of Food (British announces that the ration for uncooked bacon and ham Wireless). - The commentator beginning on January 8 will be four ounces, and that for

The maximum retail prices lish public from the German range from 1s 2d to 2s 1d

The Food Ministry states that it is coupons, provided they are consumed on the premises.

How It Is Calculated

The arrangements apply to all places of refreshment open to the public, including clubs and canteens.

Shortage Of Materials HOLD, UP

By A Naval Correspondent
THE Nazi's U-boat plan is getting out of gear.

Before the war began Hitler's naval experts assured Secretary, is studying means for achim that there would always construction programme. be enough U-boats to make it abroad.

Two things have gone wrong with (1) The German shipbuilding yards are short of skilled labour

and material; (2) Britain and France are sink. ing U-boats much faster than. Admiral Raeder believed possible. The Stettin yard, engaged exclusively on naval work, cannot find

enough skilled men. To keep up its rate of production it has had to increase working hours. The workers are grumbling-and the quality of their work is suffer-

Krupps and some of the Hamburg yards are also affected. British naval experts laugh at the Nazi claim that she can balance her

In 1917, when she had many more raw materials to draw on, production basis.—United Press. Germany put only 87 submarines into commission.

Shipbullding experts here declare that the Nazis cannot produce more than six U-boats each At least 40 U-boats are believed to

So, month by month, Hitler's during the battle with the Admiral

## LATE NEWS "Satisfactory"

general health of the troops during declared that their losses were 24 the year under review has been most ships and the lives of 91 seamen. the year under review has been most

satisfactory. There was a decrease in the rate of admission to hospital of 14.1 a thou-sand, compared with the previous year, and the admission rate was only 21.5 a thousand higher than that of 1935, the lowest recorded since the

Great War. The death ratio of 1.07 a thousand. and the ratio of 6.80 a thousand for invalids discharged from the Service Royal Proclamation notifying another

The number of officers admitted to ed by the British Press. Peoples' Commissars has decided to hospital shows an admission ratio of Typical of the comment is that of 187.3 a thousand of the strength com- the "Manchester Guardian," which pared with 220.4 a thousand in 1936 says that this is intelligent preparaand 197.8 in 1935. The deaths were tion. 2.16 a thousand of the strength com- Transfer of skilled workers to pared with 5.43 a thousand in 1936 similar occupations in the Army is and 3.37 in 1935.

# BACON

#### PLEADS Death Sentence On I.R.A. Murderers

DE VALERA

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter) .-Supplies of butter and sugar to the Mr. Eamon de Valera has made British Boy Scouts. This is the con- Supplies of butter and sugar to me Mr. Eamon de Valera has made clusion of Yugo-Slav observers, which catering establishments will be cal- representations to the British

> They were found guilty of murdering a girl, one of five victims of an explosion at Coventry on August

This is disclosed in a letter from Mr. de Valera, read at a meeting today in Dalcton, County Cork, Urban Council, which had previously adopted a resolution urging Mr. de Valera to request commutation the sentences to penol servitude for

## FLEET

Washington, Jan. 3. Mr. Charles Edison, Assistant Navy

He said the Navy's authorised impossible for Britain to re- building programme was progressing ceive sufficient food from ahead of schedule in some categories without causing delay in any other category. The authorised programme was on the regular planned basis, any acceleration of which must be submitted to Congress which would be called upon to decide on that before very long. At this time it might be more advantageous to lay down

more nuthorised ships. Mr. Edison said the Navy, at Congress request, is assembling data as to the feasibility of construction of super-battleships up to 80,000 tons, but it was too early to reach any conclusions. He intends to push scientific research on the latest weapons and ships and to "grab any new foreign ideas, inasmuch as the United

States has no monopoly on brains," The Navy was pushing chead with the development of fast motor torpedo boats and sub-chasers, of which it was eager to have a flotilla for tests. If they are found satisfactory, the Navy may produce on a mass

Welcomed As Heroes Montevideo, Jan. 3. The newspaper Eldia with a very

wide circulation, appeals to the Uruguayan women to receive the men of H.M.S. Ajax with flowers.
Rear-Admiral Sir Henry Harwood; who commanded the British forces

U-boat fleet is getting smaller and Graf Spee, visited the President of smaller.
Uruguay and the Foreign and Defence Ministers.

The visit is purely a courtesy one lasting two days .- Reuter. Neutrals' Losses

Stockholm, Jan. 3, The Swedish Minister of Marine In the report on the health of the British Army for the year 1937, issued recently, it is stated that the beginning of the war.

The Norwegian Covernment has general health of the translation of the Norwegian Covernment has

#### INTELLIGENT **PREPARATION**

Reuter Bulletin.

LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter) .- The MOSCOW, Jan. 4 (Reuter).—It is are the lowest ever recorded since two million men of their liability for announced that the Council of the Great War.

wise use of man-power.

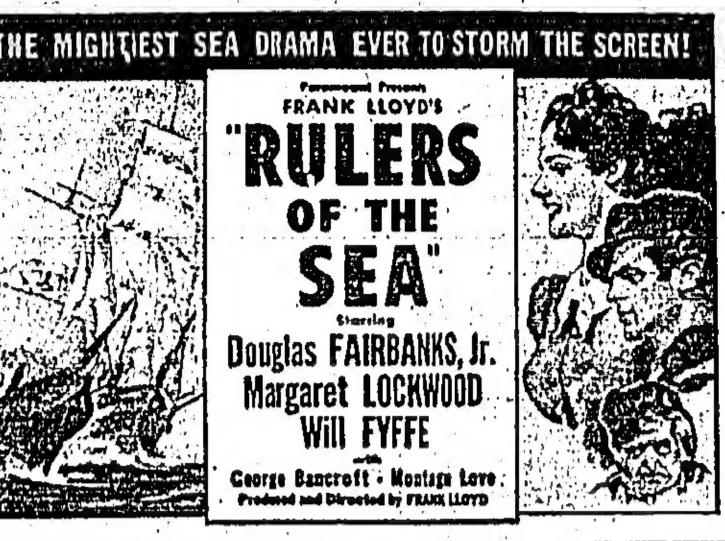




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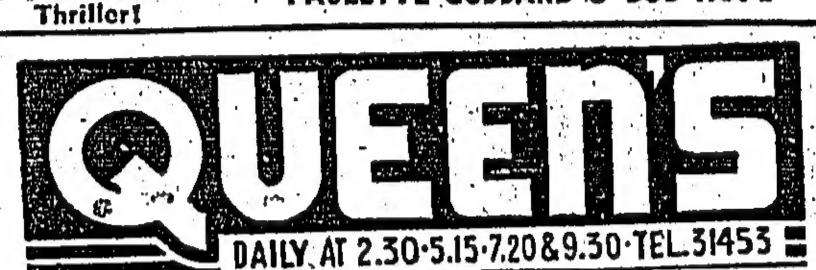
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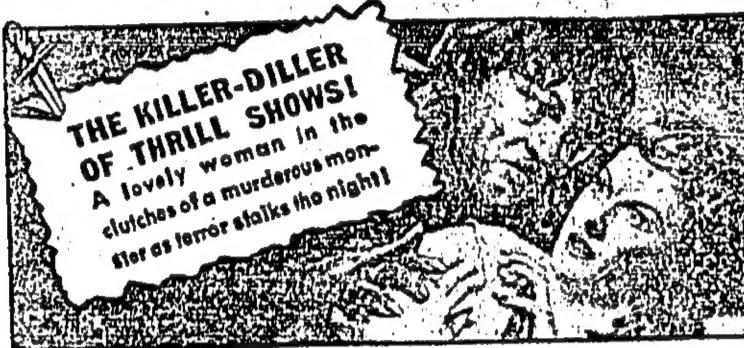


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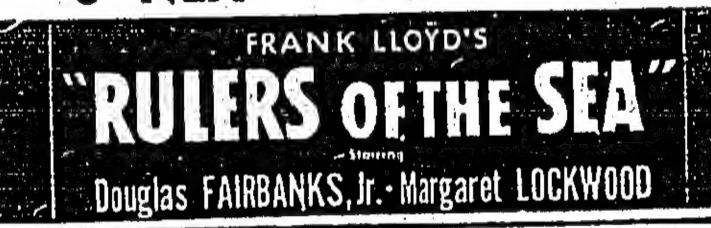
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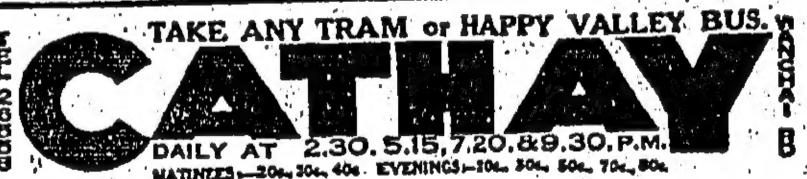


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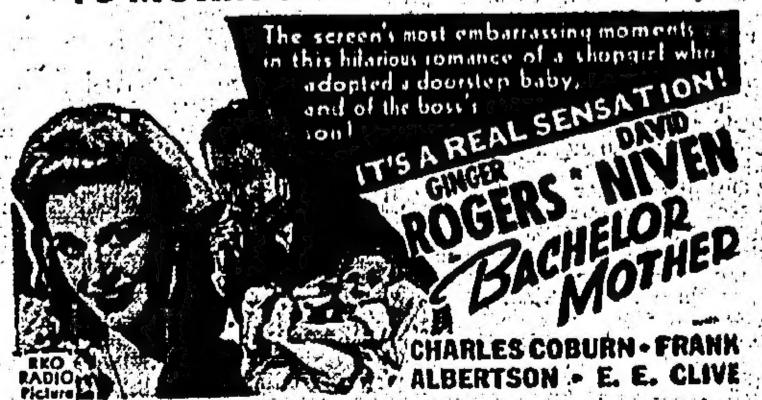


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The Alghan Government have offi-LONDON, Jan. 3 (Reuter) clolly denied that there has been London official circles attach no any mobilisation of their armed credence whatever, it is nuthorita- forces, and nothing whatever is tively stated, to the rumours in cer- known of any mobilisation in Iran.

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